



## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fort Collins includes a community of older Americans who deserve recognition for their contributions to our nation; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fort Collins recognizes that older adults are trailblazers, advocating for themselves, their peers, and their communities and paving the way for future generations; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fort Collins and the Fort Collins Senior Center are committed to raising awareness about issues facing older Americans and helping all individuals to thrive in communities of their choice for as long as possible; and

**WHEREAS**, we appreciate the value of inclusion and support in helping older adults successfully contribute to and benefit from their communities; and

**WHEREAS**, the Fort Collins Senior Center is a gathering place where older adults come together for activities and services that enhance their dignity, maintain their well-being, support their independence, foster lifelong learning, and encourage their involvement in the community.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Wade Troxell, Mayor of the City of Fort Collins, do hereby proclaim September 2019 to be

### NATIONAL SENIOR CENTER MONTH

and urge every resident to take time this month to acknowledge older adults and take a visit to the Fort Collins Senior Center to see this nationally accredited center in operation.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the City of Fort Collins this 17th day of September, A.D. 2019.

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk