

PROCLAMATION

A PROCLAMATION DESIGNATING
JANUARY 13-20, 2025,
AS
“HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS MONTH”
IN LONGMONT, COLORADO

WHEREAS, human trafficking is a public health issue that exploits the most vulnerable among us with detrimental impacts on the well-being of individuals, families, and communities across generations; and

WHEREAS, at any given time, an estimated 27.6 million people are subjected to human trafficking globally, including cases of human trafficking reported in every U.S. state and territory; and

WHEREAS, a coordinated, community-wide effort is required to be successful in the prevention and intervention of Human Trafficking, and the City of Longmont is dedicated to ensuring anyone impacted by human trafficking can receive support and services which are trauma informed, victim centered, and inclusive to cultural and linguistic needs; and

WHEREAS, Human Trafficking Awareness Month provides an opportunity to increase public awareness, collaboration between passionate community leaders, and the recognition that all individuals can play a role in the fight against human trafficking.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Joan Peck, Mayor, by virtue of the authority vested in me and the City Council of the City of Longmont, do hereby proclaim the week of January 13-20, 2025, as “Human Trafficking Awareness Month” in Longmont and encourage everyone to learn the indicators of human trafficking or take a training on how to recognize human trafficking.



MAYOR:

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ATTEST
CITY CLERK:

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