



## ***PROCLAMATION***

***WHEREAS***, older Americans are significant members of our society, investing their wisdom and experience to help enrich and better the lives of younger generations; and

***WHEREAS***, the Broken Arrow Senior Center has acted as a catalyst for mobilizing the creativity, energy, vitality, and commitment of the older residents of Broken Arrow; and

***WHEREAS***, through the wide array of services, programs, and activities, the Broken Arrow Senior Center empowers older citizens of Broken Arrow to contribute to their own health and well-being and the health and well-being of their fellow citizens of all ages; and

***WHEREAS***, the Broken Arrow Senior Center in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma affirms the dignity, self-worth, and independence of older persons by facilitating their decisions and actions; tapping their experiences, skills, and knowledge; and enabling their continued contributions to the community;

***NOW, THEREFORE***, I, Craig Thurmond, Mayor of Broken Arrow, do hereby proclaim:

***September 2018 as National Senior Center Month.***

*And call upon all citizens to recognize the special contributions of our Senior Center participants and the special efforts of the staff and volunteers who work every day to enhance the well-being of the older citizens of our community.*

***In witness, whereof***, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of Broken Arrow to be affixed this 4<sup>th</sup> day of September 2018.

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Mayor

Attest:

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City Clerk