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August 7, 2018

Craig Thurmond

Mayor

City of Broken Arrow

Mayor Thurmond:

The Broken Arrow Senior Center is celebrating National Senior Center month in September. In light of the Center's contribution to the community, we are respectfully requesting that the City Council proclaim September 2018 as National Senior Center month in the City of Broken Arrow. A proclamation that may be considered is enclosed.

Members of the Broken Arrow Senior Center find friendship, meaning and purpose at the Center. Each day we connect older adults with valuable benefits and resources to help them reach this goal. The Center is constantly evolving as well as we plan for the future and the growing demographic of those 55 and older.

We invite you to attend our regular monthly luncheon on September 21 to deliver this proclamation.

We look forward to the City of Broken Arrow joining us as we proclaim National Senior Center Month.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,


John Palkowski
Board Chairman

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(Sample Proclamation)

City of Broken Arrow, Broken Arrow, Oklahoma

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, Mayor Craig Thurmond do hereby proclaim September 2018 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.

(Mayor) Signed in (Broken Arrow, Oklahoma

This _____ day of September 2018