



City of Broken Arrow

Request for Action

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Broken Arrow City Council
Meeting of: 09/17/2019

Title:

Consideration, discussion, and possible approval of and authorization to execute a Proclamation declaring October 24, 2019, as World Polio Day in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma

Background:

Rotary Club has a global network of 1.2 million members who adhere to the motto 'Service Above Self' and inspires members to provide humanitarian service, follow high ethical standards, and promote goodwill and peace in the world.

In 1985, Rotary launched PolioPlus and in 1988 helped establish the Global Polio Eradication Initiative. To date, Rotary has contributed more than US \$1.9 billion and countless volunteer hours to protecting more than 2.5 billion children in 122 countries. Rotary is working to raise an additional \$50 million per year that will go to provide much-needed operational support, medical staff, laboratory equipment, and educational materials for health workers and parents.

Broken Arrow Rotary members join with others throughout the Greater Tulsa area that sponsor service projects to address such critical issues as poverty, disease, hunger, illiteracy, and the environment in their local communities and abroad.

This Rotary International Proclamation proclaims Thursday, October 24, 2019 as World Polio Day in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

Cost: None

Funding Source: N/A

Requested By: Crickett Moore, Executive Assistant

Approved By: City Manager's Office

Attachments: Proclamation

Recommendation:

Approve the World Polio Day Proclamation and authorize its execution.