

# PROCLAMATION



**WHEREAS**, hunger is a universal social problem increasing in cities across the country and throughout the world; and,

**WHEREAS**, children, senior citizens, veterans, the disabled, the unemployed, the poor and the homeless are all affected by hunger; and,

**WHEREAS**, finding solutions to end hunger is an on-going challenge and providing food for individuals and families is a top priority for local non-profit organizations in the City of Lee's Summit; and,

**WHEREAS**, our community is comprised of compassionate, philanthropic people who desire to help their neighbors and fellow citizens by supporting and contributing to local non-profit organizations; and,

**WHEREAS**, to help alleviate hunger in our community on November 12, 2020, the Lee's Summit Sunrise Rotary is sponsoring the "Feed Lee's Summit" fundraising event and will donate proceeds to Coldwater, Lee's Summit Social Services, Meals on Wheels and One Good Meal benefiting over 4,700 residents.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, William A. Baird, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, do hereby proclaim November 2020 as

## *FEED LEE'S SUMMIT MONTH*

to bring awareness of hunger in the Lee's Summit community and to encourage our citizens and businesses help diminish hunger in our hometown.

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, this 27th day of October 2020.

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**MAYOR WILLIAM A. BAIRD**