

WHEREAS, National Volunteer Week was first established by the President in 1974,

recognizing the spirit of voluntarism as one of the hallmarks of American

life; and

WHEREAS, each year hundreds of people volunteer for the City of Olathe, with

significant contributions in a variety of areas including public safety,

history, recreation, planning and environment; and

WHEREAS, Olathe residents' community spirit, generosity, and civic mindedness are

key to our exceptional quality of life today, and our future tomorrow, as they set an outstanding example of how to be good citizens and

neighbors.

**NOW**, **THEREFORE**, I, John Bacon, Mayor of the City of Olathe, do hereby proclaim April 2025 as

## **VOLUNTEER MONTH**

in Olathe, as we thank all of our volunteers for the work they do to better Olathe and the lives of those who live here;

and as we encourage residents to reach out and find new ways to volunteer and give back to the community.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Olathe to be affixed this first day of April, 2025.

John W. Bacon, Mayor

Brenda D. Swearingian, City Clerk