PROCLAMATION

- **WHEREAS**, John Allison has dedicated 34 years of his life to the education of children, to helping our young people learn and grow and to go out and have an impact in the world; and
- WHEREAS, since 2017, Mr. Allison has led Olathe Public Schools through unprecedented challenges and continued growth, all while maintaining an exceptional level of excellence for Olathe children and parents; and
- **WHEREAS,** under his vision, the district's Portrait of a Graduate Strategic Plan was developed, identifying the multifaceted needs of Olathe children to be successful in life, and laying the groundwork for continued success of the students, the district, and our community; and
- WHEREAS, due to Mr. Allison's steadfast leadership, Olathe Public Schools remain a cornerstone of our community, an economic driver for our region, a role model for districts across the country, and key to Olathe's growth and high quality of life.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bacon, Mayor of the City of Olathe, do hereby proclaim May 4, 2021, as

JOHN ALLISON APPRECIATION DAY

with sincere gratitude for his years of service and lasting impact on Olathe Public Schools, our city, and our most precious asset – our children.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Olathe to be affixed this fourth day of May, 2021.

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John W. Bacon, Mayor

Brenda D. Long

Brenda D. Long, City Clerk