PROCLAMATION

GIRL SCOUT MONTH

WHEREAS, March 12, 1912, marks the occasion of the founding of Girl Scouts of the U.S.A., the largest voluntary organization for girls in the world; and

WHEREAS, throughout its 88 years, Girl Scouting has inspired generations of girls to improve the world around them in their homes, communities, and their society; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouts of the U.S.A., which is open to girls ages five to seventeen, helps them to be resourceful citizens, develop their full potentials, build self-esteem, and improve their decision-making ability; and

WHEREAS, here in West Linn, there are 419 Girl Scouts and 148 adult volunteers who strive to enrich the lives of the people of this community with service projects such as Project Second Wind and Breakfast for the Homeless;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jill Thorn, Mayor of West Linn, do hereby salute our local Girl Scouts and hereby proclaim March 2000 Girl Scout Birthday Month in West Linn and urge our citizens to support the activities and endeavors of Girl Scouting.

Dated this 13th day of March 2000.

Jill Thorn

Jill Thorn, Mayor

Attest:

Nancy Davis

Nancy Davis, Admin. Asst.