

## **PROCLAMATION**

WHEREAS teachers play an essential role in the development of our society, and their tireless efforts contribute to the betterment of our future; and

WHEREAS teachers dedicate their lives to educating, inspiring, and mentoring students, instilling in them a love of learning and the values of kindness, empathy, and respect; and

WHEREAS teachers go above and beyond their duty, often working long hours, sacrificing personal time, and investing their own resources for the benefit of their students; and

WHEREAS teachers are the backbone of our educational system, shaping the minds of future generations and providing the skills and knowledge necessary for success in life; and

WHEREAS, let it be proclaimed that we recognize and appreciate the immeasurable contribution of our teachers to the advancement of our society.

THEREFORE, LET US honor and acknowledge our teachers' commitment, passion, and dedication to education and their selfless service to our communities.

**LET US** celebrate and cherish our teachers and express our gratitude for the countless lives they have touched, the countless minds they have nurtured, and the countless futures they have shaped.

**LET US** pledge to support and uplift our teachers, providing them with the necessary resources, respect, and recognition they deserve.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lisa Batey, Mayor of the City of Milwaukie, a municipal corporation in the County of Clackamas, in the State of Oregon, do hereby proclaim MAY 7<sup>th</sup> through MAY 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023, to be TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK in recognition of the invaluable service of our teachers, let this proclamation serve as a symbol of our enduring gratitude and admiration for all that they do.

**IN WITNESS, WHEREOF,** and with the consent of the City Council of the City of Milwaukie, I have hereunto set my hand on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May 2023.

Lisa M. Batey, Mayor

ATTEST:

Nicole M. Madigan, Deputy City Recorder

ASSY OF ASSAULT