



City of Grand Junction, State of Colorado

Proclamation


- Whereas,** coworking, a term that came to be on August 9, 2005, is defined as a self-directed, collaborative, flexible and voluntary work style that is based on mutual trust and the sharing of common core values between its participants; and
- Whereas,** coworking involves affordable workspace for creatives, independent workers and small businesses, many of whom do not work for the same organization; and
- Whereas,** coworking grew to 1.74 million coworkers in 2017 with an expected 5.1 million members by 2022; and
- Whereas,** there are over 6,000 coworking spaces in the United States and five in the Grand Valley of Colorado; and
- Whereas,** coworking often is populated by the tech and digital industries and encourages growth and relocation by remote workers in those industries; and
- Whereas,** coworking creates connection, community, and collaboration and encourages and facilitates entrepreneurship.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rick Taggart, by the power vested in me as Mayor of the City of Grand Junction, do hereby proclaim August 9, 2019 as

“Coworking Day in the City of Grand Junction”.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official Seal of the City of Grand Junction this 7th day of August 2019.





Mayor