



City of Grand Junction, State of Colorado

Proclamation

- Whereas,** Grand Junction, Colorado has committed itself to be an inclusive city, to honor the inherent dignity, value, and unique contribution each community member makes to our city; and
- Whereas,** Grand Junction is a city where we strive to work together to be of service to one another and the community, by engaging in acts of cooperation, kindness, courtesy, and civility for the betterment of all; and
- Whereas,** Grand Junction is a city that strives to actively engage in dialogue across our differences, to better understand one another's lived experiences and perspectives; and
- Whereas,** the residents of Grand Junction have joined together this week in civility and harmony to bring our community together to grow, flourish and heal from wounds, new and old; and
- Whereas,** in furtherance of these ideals the City Council calls on all persons to volunteer for service opportunities throughout the City and Mesa County from May 31st through June 3rd and by, with and through our service to expand our understanding and appreciation of one another.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Anna Stout, by the power vested in me as Mayor of the City of Grand Junction, do hereby proclaim the week of May 30, 2022, as

"The Week of Service and Understanding"

in the City of Grand Junction and urge all citizens of the City to support, share and give of themselves by volunteering in *Service and Understanding* events to help improve the lives of all community members.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official Seal of the City of Grand Junction this 1st day of June 2022.

Mayor

