

City of Grand Junction, State of Colorado

Proclamation

Whereas, for more than 30 years, HopeWest has been Grand Junction's community-owned, nonprofit organization where people turn when facing life's most difficult times; and

Whereas, as a nationally recognized hospice, palliative care, PACE, adult bereavement, and children's bereavement program, HopeWest provides care to more than 4,000 individuals each year. With every year, the need for HopeWest services is growing; and

Whereas, Hospice and Palliative Care Month highlights the importance of comfort for those facing aging, serious illness, or grief. HopeWest is privileged to provide exceptional care every day, helping patients and their families transform an overwhelming or fearful time into one of comfort, healing, and hope; and

Whereas, this public declaration celebrates our community's unique spirit of helping each other every day and honors the compassion of the many nursing assistants, social workers, chaplains, physicians, counselors, registered nurses, and volunteers at HopeWest; and

Whereas, Hospice and Palliative Care Month presents a unique opportunity to increase awareness of these programs and honor all who make them possible.

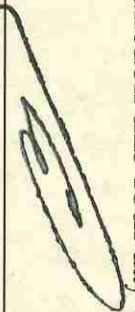
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Abram Herman, by the power vested in me as Mayor of the City of Grand Junction, in recognition of the compassion and professionalism displayed by the courageous team at HopeWest, do hereby proclaim November 2024, as

“National Hospice and Palliative Care Month”

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 15th day of October 2024.



Mayor