

Grand Junction

State of Colorado

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, *the Alpine Bank Junior College World Series, also known as JUCO, comes to Grand Junction at this same time each year and is played at the beautiful Sam Suplezio Field at Lincoln Park; and*

WHEREAS, *the JUCO World Series, which Grand Junction has hosted for over fifty years, provides an opportunity for young baseball players across America to compete and demonstrate their outstanding athletic abilities, to develop lasting friendships, and to create life-long memories; and*

WHEREAS, *the ten teams that take part in this series, regardless of where they end up in the final standings, are all winners just by virtue of being here; and*

WHEREAS, *this year's tournament will be kicked off Friday night with a banquet and inspirational comments from Cory Hahn, with the first game getting underway at 9:00 a.m. Saturday morning; and*

WHEREAS, *the Grand Junction community looks forward to this every year as an opportunity to come together to support the players and their families by scheduling activities and gatherings specifically incorporating the JUCO games.*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Phyllis Norris, by the power vested in me as Mayor of the City of Grand Junction, do hereby proclaim May 22 through May 29, 2015 as

"JUNIOR COLLEGE WORLD SERIES WEEK"

in the City of Grand Junction and encourage all JUCO fans, young and old, near and far, to commemorate this outstanding long-held tradition by taking part in some way.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official Seal of the City of Grand Junction this 20th day of May, 2015.



Mayor

