Grand Junction

State of Colorado

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS,

Delaney Clements will be honored by friends, relatives, and community members on the occasion of what would have been her 14th birthday on August 5th, 2016; and

WHEREAS,

5, she was born in Grand Junction, CO on August 5, 2002 and has been a resident of this community until her passing on March 21st, 2016; and

WHEREAS, in addition to being a daughter and sister, she has been active in local and national cancer advocacy and awareness responsibilities, including: founding the Delaney Donates organization and the Delaney Clements Childhood Cancer Research Fund, becoming an active spokesperson, nationally, for the Truth 365 and Peach's Neet Feet, as well as raising money locally and nationally for multiple families and organizations affected by cancer; and

WHEREAS, during a much too short and very productive lifetime, she has demonstrated in countless ways her dedication to the advocacy and care of others and has earned the respect, affection, and adoration of people from all walks of life and all ages; and

WHEREAS, she has lived her life to the fullest and her unique and contagious way has been a source of strength and courage in the face of adversity to those around her during her years of childhood cancer advocacy.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Phyllis Norris, by the power vested in me as Mayor of the City of Grand Junction, do hereby proclaim August 5, 2016 as

"Delaney Clements Day"

in the City of Grand Junction and along with the Grand Junction City Council, do hereby deem it an honor and pleasure to extend this Proclamation of Recognition in memory of Delaney Clements on the occasion of her 14th Birthday.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official Seal of the City of Grand Junction this 3rd day of August, 2016.

Mayor