PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, Branch 913 of the National Association of Letter Carriers with cooperation of Rural Letter Carriers and the United States

 Postal Service realize the great need to feed the hungry and to give to the community in which we live; and
- WHEREAS, Saturday, May 9th the 17th Annual "Stamp Out Hunger" food drive will be conducted to help local food banks including: Agape Food Basket, Child and Migrant Services, the Clifton Christian Church Food Program, the Community Food Bank, Outreach Soup Kitchen, the Rescue Mission, the Salvation Army and the Western Slope Food Bank of the Rockies; and
- WHEREAS, the Grand Junction City Council realizes the need for stocking the food banks at times other than the major holidays.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Gregg Palmer, by the power vested in me as Mayor of the City of Grand Junction, do hereby proclaim Saturday, May 9, 2009, as

"GRAND JUNCTION LETTER CARRIERS STAMP OUT HUNGER DAY"

in the City of Grand Junction, and do urge all citizens, in the spirit of kindness and public service to leave a sack of canned goods at your mail box to fill the local food banks.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official Seal of the City of Grand Junction this 4th day of May, 2009.

Mayor		