

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the health and well-being of children is important to the citizens of Grand Junction; and

WHEREAS, the safety and environmental welfare of children is a significant concern for parents, community leaders and health care providers; and

WHEREAS, if started early in childhood, proper health, safety and environmental habits can be maintained for a lifetime; and

WHEREAS, Kids Day America/International is special day set aside annually to address health, safety and environmental issues that affect individuals and communities; and

WHEREAS, this year's event will benefit the DARE program, a local charity; the Grand Junction Police Department will handout DNA kits, New Life Chiropractic will provide picture IDs, and there will be health screenings and safety and environmental awareness presentations.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jim Doody, by the power vested in me as Mayor of the City of Grand Junction, do hereby proclaim May 19, 2007 as

“KIDS DAY AMERICA/INTERNATIONAL”

in the City of Grand Junction and encourage all citizens to participate the days' events being held at Bananas Fun Park, 2469 River Road on Saturday, May 19, 2007 starting at 12:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m. for the purpose of educating families and communities about health, safety and environmental awareness .

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official Seal of the City of Grand Junction this 2nd day of May, 2007.

Mayor