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# Proclamation

## Elks National Youth Week

**WHEREAS**, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks has designated May 1-7 as Youth Week to honor America's Junior Citizens for their accomplishments, and to give fitting recognition of their services to community, state and nation; and

**WHEREAS**, no event could be more deserving of our support and participation than one dedicated to these young people who represent the nation's greatest resource, and who in the years ahead will assume the responsibility for the advancement of our free society; and

**WHEREAS**, our youth need the guidance, inspiration and encouragement which we alone can give in order to help develop those qualities of character essential for future leadership; and go forth to serve America; and

**WHEREAS**, to achieve this worthy objective we should demonstrate our partnership with youth, our understanding of their hopes and aspirations and a sincere willingness to help prepare them in every way for the responsibilities and opportunities of citizenship; and

**WHEREAS**, it is our responsibility to guide, inspire and encourage our youth, to go forth to serve America, our privilege to manifest a lively interest in all their activities and ambitions, and help prepare them for the duties and opportunities of citizenship, which is the objective of Elks National Youth Week

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that I, Gregory Mills, Mayor of the City of Brighton, on behalf of the Brighton City Council, do hereby proclaim May 1- 7, 2024 as Elks National Youth Week in the City of Brighton.

**DATED** this 16<sup>th</sup> day of April 2024.



**ATTEST:**

  
Natalie Hoel, City Clerk

**CITY OF BRIGHTON**

  
Gregory Mills, Mayor  
Peter Padilla, Mayor Pro Tem  
Chris Fiedler  
Tom Green  
Matt Johnston  
Jan Pawlowski  
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