



Proclamation

National Preparedness Month, September 2017

WHEREAS, “National Preparedness Month” creates an important opportunity for every resident of the City of Brighton, Colorado to prepare their homes, businesses, and communities for any type of emergency including natural and manmade disasters; and

WHEREAS, investing in the preparedness of ourselves, our families, businesses, and communities can reduce fatalities and economic devastation in our communities and in our nation; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Emergency Management Agency’s *Ready* Campaign, Citizen Corps, and other federal, state, local, tribal, territorial, private, and volunteer agencies are working to increase public activities in preparing for emergencies and to educate individuals on how to take action; and

WHEREAS, emergency preparedness is the responsibility of every citizen of Brighton, Colorado and all citizens are urged to make preparedness a priority and work together, as a team, to ensure that individuals, families, businesses and communities are prepared for disasters and emergencies of any type; and

WHEREAS, all residents of Brighton, Colorado are encouraged to participate in citizen preparedness activities and asked to visit the websites of the *Ready* campaign at Ready.gov or Listo.gov (in Spanish) and become more prepared and take action.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Brighton, Colorado hereby proclaims September, 2017 as National Preparedness Month, and encourages all residents and businesses to develop their own emergency preparedness plans, and work together toward creating a more prepared community.

DATED this 19th day of September, 2017.



ATTEST:


Natalie Hoel, City Clerk

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