



# Proclamation

## Colorado Applies Month

**WHEREAS**, 74 percent of jobs in Colorado will require a postsecondary education by 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, only 56 percent of Colorado high school graduates enrolled in a postsecondary institution immediately following graduation in 2017; and

**WHEREAS**, we should remind Colorado students that higher education is within their reach and a positive step toward their career and life goals; and

**WHEREAS**, we should encourage all high school seniors in Brighton to submit at least one application to a higher education institution and file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid; and

**WHEREAS**, Colorado Applies Month provides resources that help educators inspire a school-wide college and trade school-going culture that celebrates the opportunity of post-secondary education; and

**WHEREAS**, Colorado Applies Month equips students with web resources that enable them to apply to college early through "*My Colorado Journey*".


**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that I, Kenneth J. Kreutzer, Mayor of the City of Brighton, on behalf of the City Council, do hereby proclaim October 2019 as Colorado Applies Month.


**DATED** this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2019.

**CITY OF BRIGHTON**



**ATTEST:**

  
Natalie Hoel, City Clerk

  
**Kenneth J. Kreutzer, Mayor**  
J.W. Edwards, Mayor Pro Tem  
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