

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the City of West Carrollton, like the rest of our nation, is responding seriously to governmental dictates and health concerns resulting from the COVID-19 crisis; and

WHEREAS, Ohio Governor Mike DeWine is leading our state in addressing COVID-19 with the health, welfare, and safety of all Ohioans as his top priority; and

WHEREAS, on March 22, Ohio Department of Health Director Dr. Amy Acton, MD, MPH issued a statewide Stay at Home Order; and

WHEREAS, the Stay at Home Order, combined with social distancing mandates and other physical barriers created by the pandemic results in a feeling of isolation for many residents; and

WHEREAS, in the City of West Carrollton there is and always has been a strong sense of community, neighborliness, and genuine concern for one another; and

WHEREAS, as a tangible and daily way for residents to connect in person while still practicing social distancing, all West Carrollton residents are invited and encouraged to step outside at 6:00 p.m. each evening for a few moments to wave at each other and shout out words of greeting and support.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, I Jeffery Sanner, Mayor of the City of West Carrollton, and on behalf of the City Council, do hereby encourage all residents to step outside each day at 6:00 p.m. to participate in an

"WEST CARROLLTON NEIGHBORLY SALUTE"

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of West Carrollton, to be affixed this 14^{th} day of <u>April</u>, 20<u>20</u>.

Jeffery Sanner Mayor