

A PROCLAMATION OF THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF MAY, 2018, AS MOBILITY AWARENESS MONTH IN THE CITY OF NORMAN.

- § 1. WHEREAS, the 2018 National Mobility Awareness Month theme, “Life Moving Forward,” encourages awareness of the mobility solutions available in local communities, celebrates ways in which people living with disabilities persevere and triumph over their physical challenges, and brings attention to the many life-changing mobility solutions available to make independence more accessible; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, several Norman agencies provide resources and services to individuals with disabilities, including ABLE Community Based Services, CARTaccess, the Cleveland County disABILITY Coalition, the University of Oklahoma’s Disability Resource Center, Progressive Independence, Among Friends, the Norman Seniors Association, and the J.D. McCarty Center; and
- § 3. WHEREAS, the City of Norman is currently studying accessibility needs and creating an updated proposed Americans with Disabilities Act Transition Plan; and
- § 4. WHEREAS, the Norman Community Housing Development Organization recently hosted an open house showcasing four new affordable and accessible housing units at Vicksburg Circle; and
- § 5. WHEREAS, the City of Norman is committed to expanding opportunities for citizens in our community by reducing barriers, changing perceptions, and increasing full participation in community life.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

- § 6. Do hereby proclaim the month of May, 2018, as Mobility Awareness Month in the City of Norman and invite all citizens to join me in raising awareness, eliminating barriers, and reaffirming our commitment to the principles of equality and inclusion by increasing accessibility and participation for all citizens.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 8th day of May, 2018.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk

