



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, February 11, 2014

Council Session

Item C-1

Proclamation “Fur’ tastic Day” February 15, 2014

The purpose of the Central Nebraska Humane Society is to provide shelter to lost and homeless animals, to educate the community about the humane care and treatment of all animals, to advocate animal welfare, and to further the bond between people and animals. Saturday, February 15, 2014 the Central Nebraska Humane Society will celebrate their annual "Fur Ball" fund raiser. The Mayor has proclaimed Saturday, February 15, 2014 as "Fur’ tastic Day". See attached PROCLAMATION.

Staff Contact: Mayor Jay Vavricek

THE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
City of Grand Island
State of Nebraska

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Central Nebraska Humane Society provides shelter to lost and homeless animals, educates the community about the humane care and treatment of all animals, and advocates for animal welfare; and

WHEREAS, we recognize that instilling attitudes of kindness, consideration, and respect for all living things through humane education in the schools and the community helps provide the basic values on which a humane and civilized society is built; and

WHEREAS, the people of Grand Island are indebted to their animal care and control agencies for their invaluable contribution in caring for lost and unwanted animals, and in promoting a true working spirit of kindness and consideration for animals in the hearts and minds of all people; and

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island, the City of Kindness, invests \$360,000.00 a year in devotion of invaluable services so important to people in our community and a continued sign that love, safety, comfort and care is a standard in our community and that volunteers and philanthropy and good deeds, are A OK; and

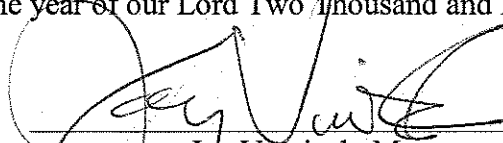
WHEREAS, the Central Nebraska Humane Society will celebrate their annual "Fur Ball" on Saturday, February 15, 2014 at Riverside Golf Club, where proceeds benefit the Central Nebraska Humane Society to positively impact the lives of animals in our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jay Vavricek, Mayor of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, do hereby proclaim Saturday, February 15, 2014 as

"Fur' tastic Day"

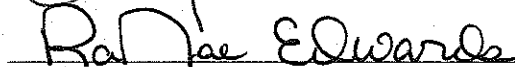
a day all of God's creatures will appreciate and love once again.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Grand Island to be affixed this eleventh day of February in the year of our Lord Two Thousand and Fourteen.



Jay Vavricek, Mayor

Attest:



RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

