

City of Grand Island

Tuesday, July 09, 2002 Council Session

Item C1

Proclamation "National Aquatic Week" July 14-20, 2002

The City of Grand Island is extremely fortunate to have facilities and aquatic programs in the community to provide all ages an opportunity for physical and mental health activities. The Mayor has proclaimed July 14-20, 2002 as ''National Aquatic Week'' and encourages citizens to support and promote this observance.

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THE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

City of Grand Island State of Nebraska

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, individuals and organized forms of recreation and the creative use of free time are vital to the happy lives of all our citizens; and
- WHEREAS, education, athletic and recreation programs throughout the City of Grand Island encompass a multitude of activities that can result in personal accomplishment, self-satisfaction and family unity for all citizens, regardless of their background, ability level or age; and
- WHEREAS, citizens of Grand Island should recognize the vital role that swimming and aquatic-related activities relate to good physical and mental health and enhance the quality of life for all people; and
- WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island is extremely proud of the swimming facilities and aquatic programs of this community and their contributions to providing to all ages a healthy place to recreate, a place to learn and grow, to swim, build self-esteem, confidence and sense of self-worth which contributes to the quality of life in our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ken Gnadt, Mayor of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, do hereby proclaim July 14-20, 2002 as

"NATIONAL AQUATIC WEEK"

in the City of Grand Island, and urge all citizens to support and promote this observance.

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

Ken Gnadt, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk