



# City of Grand Island

Tuesday, November 12, 2002

Speical Mtg/Council Session

## Item C5

### Proclamation "Grand Island, The City of Kindness"

*Acts of kindness are important for a community to grow together and build a sense of community. The Mayor has proclaimed Grand Island as "The City of Kindness" and encourages all citizens to adopt this philosophy of kindness to others in their daily lives. See attached PROCLAMATION.*

Staff Contact: Mayor Gnadt

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

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, acts of kindness make citizens better human beings, inspiring adults and children alike, to be considerate of others; and
- WHEREAS, by performing good deeds and random acts of kindness, fellow citizens learn to grow together and build a sense of community; and
- WHEREAS, one simple act of kindness has the potential to generate other good deeds, which helps to lift spirits and create goodwill; and
- WHEREAS, random acts of kindness are too often overlooked; and
- WHEREAS, Grand Island residents are recognizing the importance of acknowledging acts of goodwill; and
- WHEREAS, Random Acts of Kindness are taking place throughout the entire year in Grand Island; and
- WHEREAS, proclaiming that Grand Island will now be know as “Grand Island, The City of Kindness”. This new designation will remind residents and visitors that showing respect, generosity, patience, and consideration will help build positive attitudes and a kind, peaceful community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ken Gnadt, Mayor of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, do hereby proclaim that our city is the official

***“CITY OF KINDNESS”***

in the great state of Nebraska, and urge all citizens of our city to adopt this philosophy of kindness to others in their daily lives.

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

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Ken Gnadt, Mayor

Attest:

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RaNae Edwards, City Clerk