

City of Commerce City, Colorado



Proclamation

WHEREAS, this year has been declared International Map Year by the International Cartographic Association as recognized by the United Nations; and

WHEREAS, the National Geographic Society and other organizations annually promote "Geography Awareness Week" which is designated as November 15th through November 21st this year; and

WHEREAS, geography has played a defining role in the settlement, history, and cultural heritage of Commerce City and our nation; and

WHEREAS, the management, use, and exchange of geographic information is essential for effective decision-making; and

WHEREAS, Geographic Information System (GIS) technologies are a powerful tool for supporting emergency services and public safety, economic development, public works, parks and community development; and

WHEREAS, Commerce City is committed to using GIS technology to better serve residents and make geographic information easily available to the public.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City Council of Commerce City hereby declares November 18th, 2015, to be GIS DAY and encourages residents to take advantage of information available online.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused this seal to be affixed on the sixteenth day of November 2015.

CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

Sean Ford, Mayor

