

WHEREAS, for over 25 years the National Coalition for the Homeless and National Student Campaign Against Hunger and Homelessness have sponsored National Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the proclamation is to educate the public about the many reasons people are hungry including the shortage of affordable housing for very low-income residents; and to encourage support for homeless assistance service providers as well as community service opportunities for students and school service organizations; and

WHEREAS, there are many organizations committed to sheltering and providing supportive services as well as meals and food supplies to people experiencing homelessness; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City Council of Commerce City hereby proclaims November 11-19, 2017, as NATIONAL HUNGER AND HOMELESSNESS AWARENESS WEEK and encourages all citizens to recognize that many people do not have housing and need support from citizens and private/public non-profit service entities.



In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused this seal to be affixed on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of November 2017.

CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

Sean Ford, Mayor