

# City of Commerce City, Colorado



## Proclamation



*WHEREAS, teachers are the bridges of knowledge from one generation to the next; and*

*WHEREAS, the teachers in our public schools reach out to every student regardless of race, religion, country of national origin, family background, physical or mental abilities, or social or economic disadvantage; and*

*WHEREAS, teachers provide opportunities that help prepare students for demands of higher education and the changing workplace environment; and*

*WHEREAS, teachers preserve and support our democratic way of life by helping students understand the principles that built this nation and how those freedoms serve as hope for people around the world; and*

*WHEREAS, teachers encourage and propel our young people to reach for achievements of the highest quality and challenge students to become life-long learners; and*

*WHEREAS most teachers perform this great service to society in relative obscurity, often through much personal sacrifice and limited recognition.*

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of Commerce City, Colorado hereby declares the week of May 5 – 9, 2025 as Teacher Appreciation Week in Commerce City and encourages all residents to honor teachers who represent an investment in excellence and the future of our community.*

CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

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Steve J. Douglas, Mayor