

Proclamation in Recognition of April as National Volunteer Month

WHEREAS, volunteers can connect with local community service opportunities through hundreds of community service organizations; and

WHEREAS, individuals and communities are at the center of social change, discovering their power to make a difference; and

WHEREAS, during this month, all over the nation, service projects will be performed and volunteers recognized for their commitment to service; and

WHEREAS, our country's volunteer and national service member force of more than 63 million is a great treasure; and

WHEREAS, April is a month for volunteers, with the occurrences of National Service Recognition Day, Earth Day, and United Way's National Volunteer Month; and

WHEREAS, volunteers are vital to our future as a caring and productive nation.

Now, therefore, I, Gary Shields, Mayor of the Town of Mead, do hereby proclaim the month of April, 2018 as

"National Volunteer Month"

in the Town of Mead and urge my fellow citizens to volunteer in their community. By volunteering and recognizing those who serve, we can come together to make a difference.

Given under my hand and Seal of the Town of Mead, Colorado, this 9th day of April, 2018.

Gary R. Shields

Mayor