

## Proclamation Older Americans Month May 2023

WHEREAS, the Town of Mead includes many older Americans who enrich and strengthen our community; and

WHEREAS, we celebrate older Americans and the role they play in sharing the wisdom and experience that affect the decisions and actions we take today; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Mead is committed to engaging and supporting older adults, their families, and caregivers; and

WHEREAS, we acknowledge the importance of taking part in activities that promote physical, mental and emotional well-being-no matter your age; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Mead can enrich the lives of individuals of every age by

- Promoting home and community-based services that support independent living;
- Involving older adults in community planning, events and other activities; and
- Providing opportunities for older adults to work, volunteer, learn, lead and mentor.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Colleen Whitlow, Mayor of the Town of Mead, do hereby proclaim the month of May, 2023 as Older Americans Month in the Town of Mead and urge my fellow citizens to take time during this month to recognize older adults and people who serve them as vital members of our community.

Given under my hand and Seal of the Town of Mead, Colorado On this 24<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2023

Colleen G. Whitlow

Mayor