Sample Proclamation Language

__Proclamation__
__By the Mayor__

__WHEREAS,__ the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) was passed on July 26, 1990 to ensure the civil rights of citizens with disabilities; and

__WHEREAS,__ Rapid City, South Dakota affirms the principals of equality and inclusion for persons with disabilities as set forth for the State of South Dakota and as embodied in the ADA, the laws of the State of South Dakota and ordinances of Rapid City; and,

__WHEREAS__, numerous organizations in Rapid City and in South Dakota work with constituents and communities to bring forth the promise of hope and freedom that is envisioned by the passage of the ADA; and

__WHEREAS,__ July 26, 2017 celebrates the 27th Anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

__NOW, THEREFORE, I,__ Steve Allender, Mayor of the City of Rapid City, South Dakota do hereby proclaim July 26, 2017, as

Americans with Disabilities Act Awareness Day

In the City of Rapid City, South Dakota

__IN WITNESS WHEREOF,__ I do hereby affix my official signature and the official seal of the City of Rapid City, South Dakota, on this 26th day of July, 2017.

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Steve Allender, Mayor
Rapid City, South Dakota