



# PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, the need to serve the less fortunate - including America's children, elderly, and working poor will ever be with us; and

**WHEREAS**, hunger is a very real problem for many individuals and families; and

**WHEREAS**, all across the country local food banks that feed the hungry run frighteningly low on critical supplies just before the summer months, which, ironically, is a time when many people look to food banks for assistance as school breakfast and lunch programs become less available to children; and

**WHEREAS**, every year on the second Saturday in May, Letter Carriers across the country work together to help alleviate hunger throughout the country by carrying out the nation's largest one-day food drive, distributing the donations to local food banks; and

**WHEREAS**, this food drive has been fighting food insecurity in our community for 26 years; and

**WHEREAS**, all of the food collected in our community stays in our community; and

**WHEREAS**, we commend our local letter carriers, represented by the NALC Branch 1364, Idaho Falls, Idaho, for their diligence and commitment to serving the Idaho Falls public to the best of their ability on this day and every day.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, REBECCA L. NOAH CASPER, MAYOR** of the City of Idaho Falls, do hereby proclaim May 11, 2019 as,

## **LETTER CARRIERS ' NATIONWIDE "STAMP OUT HUNGER " FOOD DRIVE DAY**

in the City of Idaho Falls, and urge all citizens of the community to participate in this worthwhile endeavor to help those in need by leaving nonperishable food items out near their mailboxes on Saturday May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Idaho Falls to be affixed on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of May, Two Thousand and nineteen.

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Rebecca L. Noah Casper, Mayor  
City of Idaho Falls