

# PROCLAMATION

- Whereas, since 1912, Girl Scouts have had a special place in their hearts for caring for the environment, beginning with their founder, Juliette Gordon Low, and
- Whereas, Girl Scouts are joining force with the Elliott Wildlife Values Project and American Forests to launch a bold tree-planting initiative to plant 5 million trees by 2025, and
- Whereas, this initiative, known as the Girl Scout Tree Promise, is great for wildlife, and will provide tangible climate solutions, and
- Whereas, Girl Scouts across the country are being called to help by planting, protecting and honoring trees in their backyards, communities, states, across the country and even across the world, and
- Whereas, Girl Scouts across the country will use their knowledge, skills and passions to make the Girl Scout Tree Promise a reality, and
- Whereas, the Girl Scout Tree Promise will launch on the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Earth Day, April 22, 2021.

NOW THEREFORE, I, ROY BUOL, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF DUBUQUE, IOWA, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY COUNCIL, STAFF AND THE CITIZENS OF DUBUQUE, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE 22<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF APRIL 2021 AS

## **“Girl Scout Tree Promise Day”**

IN THE CITY OF DUBUQUE, IOWA.

**IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Dubuque to be affixed this 5th day of April 2021.**



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**Roy D. Buol, Mayor**

Attest:

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**Adrienne N. Breitfelder, City Clerk**

2021: Submitted and accepted by Stacy Conforti (Girl Scouts Eastern Iowa and Western Illinois)