



Proclamation

CITY OF LARAMIE ARBOR DAY CELEBRATION

WHEREAS, In 1872 J. Sterling Morton proposed to the Nebraska Board of Agriculture that a special day be set aside for the planting of trees and this holiday, called Arbor Day, was first observed with the planting of more than a million trees in Nebraska; and

WHEREAS, the planting of trees is a vital step in developing civic pride and a sense of community by providing an abundance of environmental and aesthetic advantages to citizens and wildlife, wherever they are found; and

WHEREAS, the State of Wyoming has designated the last Monday in April as the State Arbor Day and all communities in Wyoming can designate their own Arbor Day, based upon the climactic conditions of the community; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body for the City of Laramie desires to participate in the annual celebration of Arbor Day; and

WHEREAS, the City of Laramie has celebrated Arbor Day beginning in 1984 and this year, 2021, will be the 38th anniversary of Arbor Day, and in partnership with TigerTree, Inc. who will provide and plant ten (10) trees donated to the City by TigerTree customers through their free tree program with maintenance contract; and

WHEREAS, an Arbor Day Tree Planting with TigerTree, Inc. occurred in LaPrele Park on September 1, 2021 at 10:00 AM; and

NOW, THEREFORE, We, the City Council of the City of Laramie do hereby, proclaim September 11, 2021 as Laramie's Arbor Day Tree Planting. We urge residents of Laramie to plant trees and to support our City's community forestry program.

IN WITNESS, WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the City to be affixed this 7th day of September 2021.

BY: _____
Paul Weaver, Mayor and President
Laramie City Council

ATTEST: _____
Nancy Bartholomew, City Clerk