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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, despite advances in medical technology and research, men continue to live an average of five years less than women with Native American and African-American men having the lowest life expectancy; and,

WHEREAS, educating the public and health care providers about the importance of a healthy lifestyle and early detection of male health problems will result in reducing rates of mortality from disease; and,

WHEREAS, men who are educated about the value of preventative health will be more likely to participate in health screening; fathers who maintain a healthy lifestyle are role models for their children and have happier, healthier children; and,

WHEREAS, Men's Health Network worked with Congress to develop National Men's Health Week as a special campaign to help educate men and their families about the importance of positive health attitudes and preventative health practices; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Casper beseeches our community to focus on men's health issues, including heart disease, mental health, diabetes, prostate, testicular and colon cancer during Men's Health Week; and,

WHEREAS, the citizens of this city are encouraged to increase awareness of the importance of a healthy lifestyle, regular exercise, and medical check-ups.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Charles Powell, Mayor of the City of Casper, Wyoming, do hereby proclaim the week of June 10 – 16, 2019, as

MEN'S HEALTH WEEK

in Casper, and encourage all our citizens to pursue preventative health practices and early detection efforts.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official Seal of the City of Casper, Wyoming, to be affixed this 18th day of June, 2019.



CITY OF CASPER, WYOMING
A Municipal Corporation

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