

CONSTITUTION WEEK

September 17-23, 1997

WHEREAS, Our Founding Fathers, in order to secure the blessings of liberty for themselves and their posterity, did ordain and establish a Constitution for the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, It is of the greatest importance that all citizens fully understand the provisions and principles contained in the Constitution in order to effectively support, preserve and defend it against all enemies; and

WHEREAS, The two hundred tenth anniversary of the Signing of the Constitution provides an historic opportunity for all Americans to remember the achievements of the Framers of the Constitution and the rights, privileges and responsibilities they afforded us in this unique document; and

WHEREAS, The independence guaranteed to American citizens, whether by birth or naturalization, should be celebrated by appropriate ceremonies and activities during Constitution Week, September 17 through 23, as designated by proclamation of the President of the United States of America in accordance with Public Law 915, now

THEREFORE, I, Richard Strachan, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the Town of Berthoud, do hereby proclaim the week of September 17 through 23 as

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in the Town of Berthoud, and urge all citizens to reflect during that week on the many benefits of our Federal Constitution and the privileges and responsibilities of American citizenship.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Town of Berthoud to be affixed at Town Hall this 9th day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-seven.

Signed: 
Richard Strachan, Mayor

SEAL

Attest:

