

Proclamation

Recognition of Contributions to Veterans and Community

WHEREAS, Laurel Downer served as President of the American Legion Auxiliary Unit #67, and;

WHEREAS, Laurel Downer has facilitated the Street of Flags Program in the Town of Berthoud to honor veterans for the past nine years, and;

WHEREAS, During that time, the program honored approximately 50 veterans by way of placing dog tags with the flags that lined Mountain Avenue, and;

WHEREAS, The program was designed to honor all veterans;

WHEREAS, The program was funded by donations and annual fundraising to cover the cost of replacement flags, and;

WHEREAS, Laurel Downer has managed the Wreaths Across America program at the Greenlawn Cemetery for 3 years, and;

WHEREAS, The Wreaths Across America Program places wreaths at the headstones of veterans in the Greenlawn Cemetery, and;

WHEREAS, by managing these programs, Laurel Downer provided an extraordinary contribution to recognize veterans in the community.

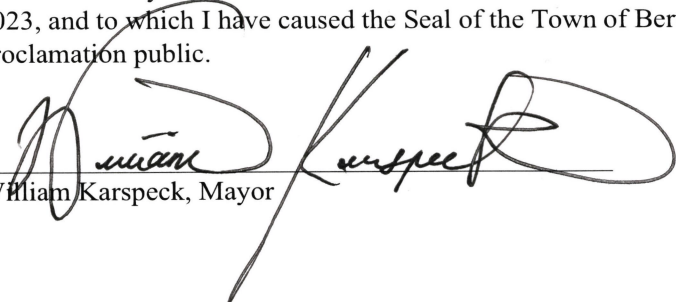
NOW THEREFORE, I, William Karspeck, Mayor of the Town of Berthoud, hereby recognize:

Laurel Downer

For

Extraordinary Contributions to Veterans and the Berthoud Community

Given under my hand in these free United States in the Town of Berthoud, on this 24th day of January 2023, and to which I have caused the Seal of the Town of Berthoud to be affixed and have made this proclamation public.


William Karspeck, Mayor

