

**PROCLAMATION
RECOGNIZING
GOOD NEIGHBOR DAY**

WHEREAS, the noblest human concern is a concern for others; and that concern leads to the understanding, love, and respect that builds cohesive families and communities; and

WHEREAS, this sense of community is nurtured and expressed in our neighborhoods where we give each other an opportunity to share and feel part of a larger family; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ashland recognizes the importance of fostering compassion and respect for our neighbors; and

WHEREAS, National Good Neighbor Day was established in the United States in the month of September via a proclamation by President Jimmy Carter in 1978; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Larry J. Fetner, Mayor of Ashland do hereby proclaim September 28, 2021, as

Good Neighbor Day

in the City of Ashland. I call upon the residents of this City to observe this day by demonstrating what being a good neighbor is all about through acts of kindness and making people feel welcome.

Signed and sealed this 20th day of September in the year Two Thousand Twenty-One.

Mayor

Attest