Proclaiming May as National Community Action Month

WHEREAS, Community Action has made essential contributions to individuals and families across this Nation by creating economic opportunities and strengthening communities; and

WHEREAS, Community Action is a robust state and local force connecting people to life-changing services and creating pathways to prosperity in 99% of all American counties; and

WHEREAS, Community Action builds and promotes economic stability as an essential aspect of enabling and enhancing stronger communities and stable homes; and

WHEREAS, Community Action promotes community-wide solutions to challenges throughout our cities, suburbs, and rural areas; and

WHEREAS, Community Action delivers innovative services and supports that create greater opportunities for families and children to succeed; and

WHEREAS, Community Action insists on community participation and involvement ensuring that all sectors of the community have a voice and will be heard; and

WHEREAS, Community Action is celebrating 57 years of innovation, impact, and providing proven results for Americans.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ryan D. Stanley, Mayor of the City of Joplin, Missouri do hereby proclaim May 2021 as

NATIONAL COMMUNITY ACTION MONTH

and urge our citizens to work together to support and strengthen the Community Action ideals, which have done so much for the betterment of all.

IN WITNESS, WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Joplin to be affixed this 3rd day of May 2021.

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Ryan D. Stanley, Mayor