

CITY OF
WAVERLY

PROCLAMATION

National Preservation Month

WHEREAS, local historic preservation is an effective tool for revitalizing neighborhoods, fostering local pride and maintaining community character while enhancing livability; and

WHEREAS, historic preservation is relevant for communities across the nation, both urban and rural, and for Americans of all ages, all walks of life and all ethnic backgrounds; and

WHEREAS, it is important to celebrate the role of history in our lives and the contributions made by dedicated individuals in helping to preserve the tangible aspects of the heritage that has shaped us as a people; and

WHEREAS, May 2020 offers the opportunity to celebrate the significance of historic architecture and community history embodied in Waverly's four Historic Districts by encouraging people to HIT THE STREETS and explore walking tours of Waverly's historic neighborhoods, as exemplified in the easily accessed and printable Walking Tour Brochures on the Resources page of the Waverly Historic Preservation Commission Website (www.waverlyia.com/hpcresources); and

WHEREAS, the Waverly Historic Preservation Commission joins with the National Trust for Historic Preservation in inviting citizens to Instagram to share photos of gorgeous old buildings in our Waverly neighborhoods by using #ThisPlaceMatters.

NOW, THEREFORE, We, Mayor and City Council of the City of Waverly, Iowa, do hereby proclaim May 2020 as National Preservation Month, and call upon the people of the City of Waverly to join their fellow citizens across the United States in recognizing and participating in this special observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name, Adam P. Hoffman, Mayor, to be affixed this 4th day of May 2020.



Adam P. Hoffman, Mayor



Carla Guyer, City Clerk