## Office of the Mayor City of High Point North Carolina

## Proclamation...

- **WHEREAS**, knowledge of homeownership will serve to educate our citizens to the home buying process and promote Community Development programs; and
- WHEREAS, the High Point Housing Coalition recognizes that homeownership is an important part of the American dream; and strengthens families and encourages residents to take pride in their neighborhoods and to take an active role in their community; and
- WHEREAS, the High Point City Council has empowered the Community Development & Housing Department and its community partners to supply the community with decent, safe, and sanitary affordable housing opportunities throughout High Point through the provision of rehabilitation and down payment and closing costs assistance to meet the needs of low to moderate income persons; and
- WHEREAS, during this time of constricted Federal contributions the challenge of meeting the needs for safe, sanitary, and decent housing stock continues to grow as evidenced by increased cost, housing problems, and deteriorating housing stock; and
- WHEREAS, the Housing and Urban Development Department has declared the month of June 2019 as NATIONAL Homeownership Month, and have called upon the citizens to build a more hopeful society and recognize the importance of expanding ownership of homes across our great Nation;
- **NOW THEREFORE I,** Jay W. Wagner, Mayor of the City of High Point, do hereby proclaim the month of June 2019 as

## "HOMEOWNERSHIP MONTH"

in the City of High Point, North Carolina, and I call upon all our citizens to join me in this worthy observance.



WITNESS my hand and the Corporate Seal of the City of High Point, North Carolina, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of June 2019.

Jay W. Wagner, Mayor