Office of the Mayor City of High Point North Carolina

PROCLAMATION...

- WHEREAS, our United Way of Greater High Point began operations in our community in 1935; and,
- WHEREAS, our United Way of Greater High Point (UWGHP) works through 28 partner agencies and wrap around services to directly impact the lives of over 80,000 residents, approximately one of every three, of High Point, Archdale, Trinity and Jamestown; and,
- **WHEREAS**, because of the millions of dollars raised annually from generous companies and individuals that are invested into the programs to change lives, and improve the quality of life for all of us every day; and,
- WHEREAS, through UWGHP we help families and children thrive, allow the elderly and those in need to become more self-sufficient, and create healthier people and safer neighborhoods; and,
- WHEREAS, thousands of volunteers from throughout greater High Point give of their time to help raise the funds that support our mission and oversee the allocation of these funds to the most critical programs and agencies; and,
- WHEREAS, our annual campaign ranks among the top in our state of North Carolina and in the nation among cities our size; and,
- **WHEREAS**, our United Way is one organization, with 28 partner agencies creating a 20/20 vision for the future of our community.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and High Point City Council that Tuesday, January 28th, 2020 be designated in the City of High Point as United Way Day. And each January 28th thereafter be designated the same. And also that this resolution be presented to the United Way of Greater High Point in recognition of 85 years of service for all the time and donations given over the years by thousands of volunteers and a dedicated professional staff who truly care about this community and its people. Thanks to your work, we are building a stronger High Point. Let's continue this work UNITED. Let's find a WAY!

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WITNESS my hand and the Corporate Seal of the City of High Point, this the 6th day of January 2020.

Jay W. Wagner, Mayor