WHEREAS, Kiwanis International is one of the largest service organizations in the world with more than 600,000 members of all ages and abilities in more than 80 nations; and

WHEREAS, Kiwanis Club of Mansfield was chartered on October 11, 1973, and its members are celebrating the club's 50th anniversary; and

WHEREAS, Kiwanis Club members promote the development of community leaders, positive role models, intercultural understanding and cooperation, and opportunities for fellowship, personal growth, professional development, and community service; and

WHEREAS, the Kiwanis Club of Mansfield supports the work of six Key Clubs and a Builders Club; is a founding partner and continuing sponsor of Common Ground Network's Feed the Kids; supports Mansfield ISD students via projects including scholarships, elementary school library book sponsorships, and graduation recognitions for students with special needs; provides assistance for families in need; and devotes service to other child-centered community service endeavors; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Michael Evans, Mayor of the City of Mansfield, join with the members of the Mansfield City Council to proclaim October 29, 2023 as

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in the City of Mansfield in celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the Club and encourage the community to join the Kiwanis Club of Mansfield in their service endeavors to our homes, schools, and community.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I do hereby set my hand and cause the official seal of the City of Mansfield to be affixed this 23rd day of October, 2023.