

P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, the Salvation Army, since its founding in Great Britain in 1865, has provided humanitarian relief and spiritual guidance to people throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, the Salvation Army serves as a symbol of compassion and is an active participant in the provision of services without discrimination; and

WHEREAS, members of the Salvation Army have befriended, aided, and given new hope to men, women, and children based on its Christian principles; and

WHEREAS, in keeping with the mission of Roy and Joan Kroc, the Salvation Army Kroc Community Center in Salem, Oregon, provides facilities, programs, and services that encourage positive living, offer life-changing experiences for adults and children, strengthens families, and enriches the lives of seniors; and

WHEREAS, it is the appropriate time to highlight the Salvation Army Kroc Community Center's many achievements and underscore its steadfast commitment to providing dignified services to those in need; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Chuck Bennett, Mayor of the City of Salem, do hereby proclaim May 14-20, 2018, as

NATIONAL SALVATION ARMY WEEK

and encourage all residents to thank the members of the Salvation Army for their ongoing service to our community.

DATED this fourteenth day of May, 2018.



Chuck Bennett
Mayor