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City of Hiawatha
State of Iowa

PROCLAMATION

City of Hiawatha, Iowa Mayor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, the City of Hiawatha, Iowa is committed to recognizing our growth and strength depends on the safety and economic value of the homes, buildings and infrastructure that serve our citizens, both in everyday life and in times of natural disaster, and;

WHEREAS, our confidence in the structural integrity of these buildings that make up our community is achieved through the devotion of building safety and fire prevention officials, builders, trades people, design professionals and others in the construction industry—who work year-round to ensure the safe construction of buildings, and;

WHEREAS, the dedicated members of the International Code Council create and implement the highest-quality International Codes® to protect us in the buildings where we live, learn, work and play, and;

WHEREAS, "No Code. No Confidence." the theme for Building Safety Month 2019, sponsored by the International Code Council, encourages all Americans to raise awareness of the importance of safe and resilient construction; fire prevention; disaster mitigation, and new technologies in the construction industry.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Bennett, Mayor of the City of Hiawatha, Iowa do hereby proclaim the month of May 2019 as Building Safety Month. Accordingly, I encourage our citizens to join with their community in recognizing the importance of our building safety and fire prevention officials.

Dated this 1st day of May, 2019.

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Mayor, Bill Bennett