



PROCLAMATION
Declaring February 10, 2018,
As City of Sweet Home's 125th Anniversary

- WHEREAS, the City of Sweet Home is located at the east-end of Linn County, lies at the foot of the Cascade Mountains next to the Santiam River; and
- WHEREAS, settlers first arrived in the Sweet Home Valley in 1851 and shared the valley with the friendly Santiam band of the Kalapuyan Indian Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, on February 10, 1893, Sweet Home became an incorporated city in Linn County, Oregon; and
- WHEREAS, the first City of Sweet Home Charter was adopted December 5, 1910; and
- WHEREAS, the City of Sweet Home proudly recognizes Sweet Home's heritage, and acknowledges the benefits of preserving the traditions and customs of earlier times; and
- WHEREAS, the community has emphasized family values and balanced a small town character while promoting economic prosperity and growth; and
- WHEREAS, the City of Sweet Home is recognized as the gateway to the Santiam Playground, and is thoroughly enjoyed by residents and visitors alike; and
- WHEREAS, ***Oregon at its best!*** is truly a befitting description of the City of Sweet Home as it celebrates its 125th Anniversary throughout 2018.

THEREFORE, I Greg Mahler, Mayor of Sweet Home, do hereby proclaim February 10, 2018 as the City of Sweet Home's 125th Anniversary and call upon all citizens to join the festivities celebrating the traditions and customs of Sweet Home throughout 2018.

PROCLAIMED this 13th day of February 2018.



Mayor Greg Mahler

ATTEST:



City Manager - Ex Officio City Recorder