

**Proclamation of Global Entrepreneurship Week
November 18th – November 24th
Supporting the goals and ideals of Global Entrepreneurship Week/USA &
Appleton East DECA and encouraging the implementation of Global
Entrepreneurship Week/USA in Appleton, Wisconsin**

Whereas the strength of economic growth throughout the history of our Nation is tied directly to the success of entrepreneurs;

Whereas our Nation and society, in general, has benefited greatly from everyday use of once radical, breakthrough innovations developed and brought to market by entrepreneurs;

Whereas entrepreneurial firms are a critical component to the spread of economic stability throughout the world;

Whereas two-thirds of students on American campuses today say they intend to start a venture at some point in their life;

Whereas now more so than ever, finding the path to success is defined by an individual's ability to take their ideas and make them happen;

Whereas in today's connected world, opportunities to make an impact are no longer constrained by outdated barriers of where you live or how much experience you have;

Whereas thousands of organizations in the United States will join in the celebration by planning activities designed to inspire, connect, inform, mentor and engage the next generation of entrepreneurs; and,

Whereas over a hundred countries are joining together to carry the banner of 'Global Entrepreneurship Week' and host activities to promote entrepreneurship in their own country;

Whereas through a national initiative to observe Global Entrepreneurship Week/USA, the Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation, Dell, and thousand of partner organizations promote awareness of the contributions of entrepreneurs as innovators, positive forces in the economy, and important resources for improving communities as places to live and work: Now, therefore, be it

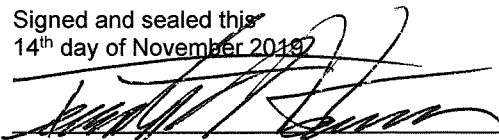
Resolved, That the Mayor of the City of Appleton, Timothy M. Hanna --

(1) Supports the goals and ideals of Global Entrepreneurship Week/USA in igniting the Nation's consciousness about the importance of being entrepreneurial, so that the people of the United States are reminded of the social and economic contributions of entrepreneurs; and

(2) Requests that the Mayor of the City of Appleton, Timothy M. Hanna, issue a proclamation calling on the State and Local governments, schools, nonprofit organizations, and others to observe Global Entrepreneurship Week/USA with special activities and events to help inspire young people to begin a journey to fulfill their potential as self-starters and entrepreneurs.



Signed and sealed this
14th day of November 2019



TIMOTHY M. HANNA
MAYOR OF APPLETON