

# PROCLAMATION

BY MAYOR JOEL GREER

**WHEREAS**, frontline workers are the builders of our community, exercising curiosity, compassion, courage, and creativity to provide essential services that ensure the safety, health, and education of our residents; and

**WHEREAS**, over 9 million healthcare workers across the United States serve in hospitals, clinics, and long-term care facilities, often placing themselves at risk to provide lifesaving care; and

**WHEREAS**, firefighters respond to an estimated 36 million emergency calls each year, over 800,000 sworn law enforcement officers nationwide work tirelessly to uphold the law and ensure public safety, and emergency medical services (EMS) personnel respond to more than 240 million calls annually; and

**WHEREAS**, teachers dedicate their careers to shaping the future of our communities, with over 3.7 million educators in the U.S. providing knowledge and guidance to our youth; and

**WHEREAS**, frontline workers embody the essence of Builders - flexible thinkers and constructive problem solvers who respect the dignity of all people - by dedicating themselves to overcoming challenges and uniting communities.

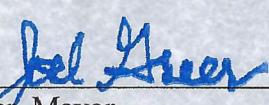
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** I, Joel T.S. Greer, Mayor of Marshalltown, hereby declared and designated May, as

## ***"Frontline Worker Appreciation Month"***

in the City of Marshalltown, Iowa, and encourage all residents to join in recognizing and honoring the heroic contributions of our healthcare workers, firefighters, law enforcement officers, EMS personnel, and teachers.



**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused my seal to be affixed on this 28<sup>th</sup> day of April 2025.

  
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Joel T.S. Greer, Mayor  
City of Marshalltown