

*Office of the Mayor*  
*City of Fayetteville*  
**Proclamation**



**WHEREAS:** the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, through its Constitution, is a Patriotic Order, and

**WHEREAS:** the Order promotes the ideals that the citizens of this nation live in freedom, won through the great sacrifices and many tribulations which have provided the foundation for a free, prosperous and independent life, and

**WHEREAS:** we realize that each generation must work to maintain this freedom, otherwise, through carelessness or indifference, the rights and liberties enjoyed may vanish, and

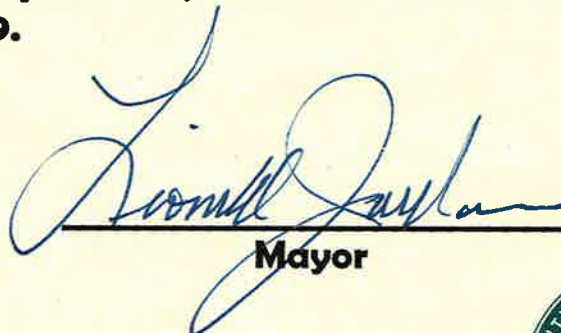
**WHEREAS:** it is fitting and proper to recognize this freedom and to honor the nation, which provides it.

**NOW THEREFORE, I, Lioneld Jordan, Mayor of the City of Fayetteville, Arkansas do hereby proclaim September 9-15, 2019 as**

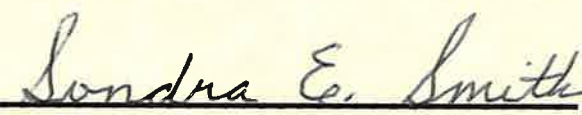
**“National Patriotism Week”**

in Fayetteville, Arkansas and invite all citizens to join with the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks in expressing gratitude for the privilege of American Citizenship with appropriate celebrations and observances.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Fayetteville, Arkansas to be affixed on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2019.**

  
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Mayor

**Attest:**

  
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City Clerk

