



# **Proclamation**

## **WORLD TOWN PLANNING DAY**

November 8, 2024

**Whereas**, The International Organization for World Town Planning Day was founded in 1949 to advance public and professional interest in planning both locally and abroad and to promote broad-based awareness, participation, and support for community planning among the general public and all government agencies; and

**Whereas**, change and growth are constant and affect all states, regions, counties, cities, and towns, including Manteca; and

**Whereas**, thoughtful community planning can help manage and direct change and growth in a way that provides better choices for how people live, work, and play in Manteca; and

**Whereas**, the community planning process provides an opportunity for all residents to be meaningfully involved in making choices that determine the future of Manteca; and

**Whereas**, we recognize the vital role planning professionals play in fostering a sound and sustainable community that enhances both the natural environment and built space; and

**Now, Therefore**, I, Gary Singh, Mayor of the City of Manteca, on behalf of City Council, do recognize November 8th, 2024, as World Town Planning Day, and urge all citizens to learn more about the planning industry, its professional and how everyone can be part of the planning process.

**DATE:** October 21, 2024

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Mayor Gary Singh