

City of Rochester



WHEREAS, unintentional injury contributed to more years of potential life lost than any other cause of death in 2020; and

WHEREAS, across the nation, the top five causes of injury death for all ages include unintentional falls, motor vehicle crashes, poisonings, and drownings, and injury death inflicted by firearm; and

WHEREAS, injuries and violence affect everyone, regardless of age, race, or economic status; and

WHEREAS, most injuries can be prevented; and

WHEREAS, the City of Rochester, Minnesota, and Mayo Clinic Level 1 Pediatric & Adult Trauma Centers are committed to raising awareness, educating, and collaborating on resourceful ways in our community to reduce incidence and severity of injury at home, in recreation, and on the road.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Kim Norton, Mayor of the City of Rochester, Minnesota, do hereby proclaim November 18, 2022, as

Injury Prevention Day

in Rochester, Minnesota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have here unto set my hand and caused the corporate seal of the City of Rochester to be affixed this 18th day of November 2022.

Kim Norton, Mayor
City of Rochester, Minnesota