

WHEREAS, the prosperity and well-being of this community and area is dependent upon cooperation between two great elements of our society: farmers and urbanites; and

WHEREAS, America's farms have long been vital to our nation; we must continue supporting this relationship between American farms and families, and work to ensure that farming remains an economically, socially and environmentally sustainable way of life for future generations; and

WHEREAS, the Wichita Downtown Kiwanis Club Farm-City Week provides an unparalleled opportunity for farm and city residents to become reacquainted, and also brings recognition to the myriad of contributions our nation's farmers and ranchers make toward furthering the health and well-being of our country; and

WHEREAS, Doug and Sherri Hess are being honored as the Kiwanis Club of Wichita - Downtown Outstanding Farm Family in Sedgwick County for 2015; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that I, Richard Ranzau, Chairman of the Board of Sedgwick County Commissioners, do hereby proclaim November 20-26, 2015 as

NATIONAL FARM-CITY WEEK

In Sedgwick County and encourage all citizens to remember the contributions and cohesion of farmers and urbanites.

November 18, 2015