WHEREAS, Wichita Independent Neighborhoods has helped provide education, resources, and a unified voice on quality of life issues in Sedgwick County for over 23 years; and

WHEREAS, WIN has a vision that all citizens, families and neighborhoods in Wichita and Sedgwick County participate fully in their governance to attain a safe, healthy, and vibrant community; and

WHEREAS, in 2016 WIN hopes to continue the vision and mission to ensure, inform, empower, and instill values of caring and consideration to improve the quality of life for all neighborhoods; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that I, Jim Howell, Chairman of the Board of Sedgwick County Commissioners, do hereby proclaim 2016 as

WICHITA INDEPENDENT NEIGHBORHOODS' YEAR

In Sedgwick County and recognize the efforts of WIN and its partners by supporting the citizens in making Sedgwick County the best place to live and encourage citizens to do something in their neighborhood to have a better quality of life.

January 20, 2016