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 a profitable way of life for future generations; and

**WHEREAS**, the Wichita 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**, Dan and Norene Kerschen and Don and Dana Kerschen of Garden Plain KS, are being honored as the Kiwanis Club of Wichita - Outstanding Farm Family in Sedgwick County for 2016; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that I, Jim Howell, Chairman of the Board of Sedgwick County Commissioners, do hereby proclaim November 20-26, 2016 as

## NATIONAL FARM-CITY WEEK

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

November 14, 2016