

**PROCLAMATION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MAMMOTH LAKES,
STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DECLARING JULY 2025 AS PARK AND RECREATION MONTH**

WHEREAS each July, we celebrate park and recreation month and how park and recreation professionals improve the lives of tens of millions of people, making a lasting impact in communities across the country, including the Town of Mammoth Lakes; and

WHEREAS this year's theme, "Build Together, Play Together" is a reminder of the contributions of more than 160,000 full-time park and recreation professionals — along with hundreds of thousands of part-time and seasonal workers and volunteers — who maintain our country's close-to-home parks; and

WHEREAS park and recreation programs are essential to community health and well-being, and help cultivate lifelong friendships, memories and family bonds that people hold dear decades later; and

WHEREAS park and recreation encourages physical activities by providing space for popular sports, hiking trails, swimming pools and many other activities designed to promote active lifestyles; and

WHEREAS park and recreation programming and education activities, such as out of-school time programming, youth sports and environmental education, are critical to childhood development; and

WHEREAS parks and recreation promotes health and wellness, improving the physical and mental health of people who live near parks; and

WHEREAS parks and recreation increases a community's economic prosperity through increased property values, expansion of the local tax base, increased tourism, the attraction and retention of businesses, and crime reduction; and

WHEREAS parks and recreation is fundamental to the environmental well-being of our community; and

WHEREAS the U.S. House of Representatives has designated July as Park and Recreation Month; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Mammoth Lakes, State of California, that July 2025 is recognized as Park and Recreation Month in the Town of Mammoth Lakes.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 2nd Day of July 2025,

CHRIS BUBSER, Mayor

ATTEST:

JAMIE GRAY, Town Clerk