

CITY OF NORTHFIELD, MINNESOTA
CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2017- 037
PROCLAIMING MAY 7-13, 2017 AS TRAVEL
AND TOURISM WEEK IN NORTHFIELD

WHEREAS: the travel and tourism industry is vital to the City of Northfield and the State of Minnesota, contributing to our economic prosperity, employment, peace, understanding and good will; and

WHEREAS: travel and tourism ranks as one of Minnesota's top industries in the amount of revenue it generates; and

WHEREAS: tourism contributed \$14.4 billion to our state in 2016, and during that time more than 3.5 million visitors traveled to Minnesota; and

WHEREAS: the hospitality industry in Rice County provides jobs for more than 2,300 individuals and yields more than \$6,800 in state sales taxes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTHFIELD, MINNESOTA THAT:

May 7-13, 2017 be proclaimed Travel and Tourism Week in Northfield, MN and urge the citizens of our city to join in this special observance with appropriate events and commemorations.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Northfield on this 2nd day of May, 2017.

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Mayor

VOTE: ___ POWNELL ___ COLBY ___ DELONG___ NAKASIAN
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