## CITY OF NORTHFIELD, MINNESOTA CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2017-025 PROCLAIMING APRIL 9-15, 2017 AS NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

- WHEREAS, libraries are the heart of their communities, campuses and schools; and
- WHEREAS, Minnesota libraries return \$4.62 to their communities for every dollar invested; and
- WHEREAS, librarians work to meet the changing needs of their communities, including providing resources for everyone and bringing services outside of library walls; and
- WHEREAS, libraries and librarians bring together community members to enrich and shape the community and address local issues; and
- WHEREAS, librarians are trained, tech-savvy professionals, providing technology training and access to downloadable content like e-books and provide free access to information in all its forms, including electronic resources; and
- WHEREAS, librarians design and offer programs to meet their community's economic needs, providing residents with resume writing classes, interviewing workshops and job seeking resources; and
- WHEREAS, libraries continuously grow and evolve in how they provide for the needs of every member of their communities; and
- WHEREAS, libraries, librarians, library workers, and supporters across America are celebrating National Library Week.

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

April 9-15, 2017 be declared National Library Week and encourage all residents to visit the Northfield Public Library this week to take advantage of the wonderful programs and resources available.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Northfield on this 4th day of April, 2017.

ATTEST:

City Clerk	Mayor
VOTE:	POWNELL COLBY DELONG NAKASIAN
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