

CITY OF NORTHFIELD, MINNESOTA
CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2021-025
PROCLAIMING APRIL 4-10, 2021 AS NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

- WHEREAS, libraries are the heart of their communities, campuses and schools; and in 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, in times of crisis, libraries, librarians, and library workers play an invaluable role in supporting their communities both in person and virtually;
- 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 have long served as trusted and treasured institutions for all members of the community regardless of race, ethnicity, creed, ability, sexual orientation, gender identity, or socio-economic status;
- 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 that we proclaim National Library Week April 4-10 and encourage all residents to visit the library in person or online this week to take advantage of the wonderful resources available at your library.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Northfield on this 16th day of March, 2021

ATTEST


City Clerk


Mayor

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 Y PETERSON WHITE Y REISTER Y ZUCCOLOTTO