

## **PROCLAMATION**

- WHEREAS, in the City of Northglenn and in communities throughout the nation, thirty-one years of Community Development Block Grant funding has developed a strong network of relationships between the City of Northglenn, its residents, Adams County and many non-profit agencies that provide services and help make possible our commitment to our neighborhoods; and
- WHEREAS, the Community Services Block Grant has been working in Adams County since 1974 to provide a wide range of services and activities designed to have an impact on the causes of poverty in the City of Northglenn and surrounding cities; and
- WHEREAS, the HOME Partnership Investment Program since 1992 has created opportunities for affordable housing development, housing rehabilitation and has established a network of housing partners throughout Adams County; and
- WHEREAS, the City of Northglenn recognizes that the Community Development Block Grant, Community Services Block Grant and HOME program are part of a partnership of federal, state and local governments, business, non-profit and community efforts, and that the services funded by these programs, administered by the local government and often delivered by local non-profit organizations, rely heavily on the dedication and good will of their combined efforts; and
- WHEREAS, the City of Northglenn, Adams County, surrounding cities and non-profit organizations would not be able to complete these projects without these funds; and
- WHEREAS, the current proposed federal budget eliminates the Community Services Block Grant and reduces the Community Development Block Grant funding in fiscal year 2007; and
- WHEREAS, the week of April 17 through 21, 2006, has been set aside to reaffirm the significance of the Community Development Block Grant, the Community Services Block Grant and the HOME program in meeting the needs of the elderly, the disabled and low and moderate income residents and in eliminating or preventing slum or blight conditions.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Kathleen M. Novak, Mayor of the City of Northglenn, Colorado, do hereby proclaim the week of April 17<sup>th</sup> through April 21<sup>st</sup> 2006 as:

**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AWARENESS WEEK** 

DATED, at Northglenn, Colorado, this 13<sup>th</sup> day of April 2006.

Kataleen M. Novak, Mayor