

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS,

DollarWise is dedicated to the idea that all Americans can benefit from increased access to financial education. As individuals become more financially literate, they become better prepared to build stable families, to help themselves and their children gain education, to be productive members of the workforce, and to contribute to their communities; and

WHEREAS,

DollarWise – Mayors for Financial Literacy is the official financial education and literacy effort of The United States Conference of Mayors, and emphasizes basic money management and planning skills around the core components of education, savings, credit management, and homeownership; and

WHEREAS,

Mayors across America have made a commitment to increasing their residents' financial literacy by participating in all that DollarWise has to offer; and

WHEREAS,

DollarWise invites mayors and city staff to examine their communities' financial education needs, create an action plan, and forge partnerships with financial institutions, faith-based groups, nonprofits, local businesses, and others in the community to address this important issue; and

WHEREAS,

DollarWise offers support through technical assistance, partnerships with national organizations, and grant programs.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Joyce Downing, Mayor of the City of Northglenn do hereby proclaim the month of April 2015 as:

DOLLARWISE MONTH

in the City of Northglenn and encourage all residents to acknowledge the importance of personal and family financial literacy and to make a commitment to obtain financial education.

Dated, at Northglenn, Colorado, this 13th day of April 2015.



JOYCE DOWNING Mayor