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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, art education contributes powerful educational benefits to all elementary and secondary students; and,

WHEREAS, art education develops students' creative, problem-solving and critical thinking abilities; and

WHEREAS, art education teaches sensitivity to beauty, order and other expressive qualities; and

WHEREAS, art education gives students a deeper understanding of multi-cultural values and beliefs; and

WHEREAS, art education reinforces and brings to life what students learn in other subjects; and

WHEREAS, art education interrelates student learning in art production, art history, art criticism and aesthetics; and

WHEREAS, our national leaders have acknowledged the necessity of including arts experiences in all students' education.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that support should be given to art teachers as they attempt to strengthen art education in their schools and communities.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Shawn Reilly, Mayor of the City of Waukesha, Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim March 2019 as

YOUTH ART MONTH

All citizens are urged to take interest in and give full support to quality school art programs for children and youth.

Signed this 5th day of March, 2019.

Shawn Reilly, Mayor
City of Waukesha

