

THE CITY OF BLUFFDALE, UTAH
A Municipal Corporation

Resolution No. 2008-20

ARBOR DAY 2008
PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, In 1872 J. Sterling Morton proposed to the Nebraska Board of Agriculture that a special day be set aside for the planting of trees, and

WHEREAS, this holiday called Arbor Day was first observed with the planting of more than a million trees in Nebraska, and

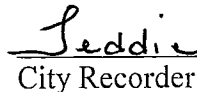
WHEREAS, Arbor Day is now observed throughout the nation and the world; and

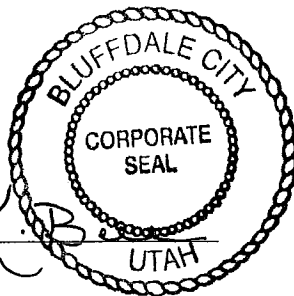
WHEREAS, Bluffdale City desires to promote the importance of trees for the benefits they provide for its citizens; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS MAYOR OF BLUFFDALE CITY, I HEREBY PROCLAIM APRIL 25th, 2008 AS ARBOR DAY IN BLUFFDALE UTAH AND ENCOURAGE ALL RESIDENTS AND VISITORS TO BECOME ACTIVE IN THE PROMTING AND PRESERVATION OF TREES.

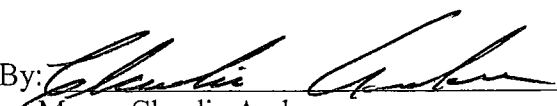
PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Bluffdale this 26th day of February, 2008.

ATTEST:


City Recorder



By:


Mayor Claudia Anderson

Voting by the City Council:	Aye	Nay
Councilmember Chisholm	<u> x </u>	_____
Councilmember Flanigan	<u> x </u>	_____
Councilmember Kartchner	<u> x </u>	_____
Councilmember Lord	<u> x </u>	_____
Councilmember Maxwell	<u> x </u>	_____



- Whereas,** In 1872, J. Sterling Morton proposed to the Nebraska Board of Agriculture that a special day be set aside for the planting of trees, and
- Whereas,** this holiday, called Arbor Day, was first observed with the planting of more than a million trees, and
- Whereas,** Arbor Day is now observed throughout the nation and the world, and
- Whereas,** trees can reduce the erosion of our precious topsoil by wind and water, cut heating and cooling costs, moderate the temperature, clean the air, produce life-giving oxygen, and provide habitat for wildlife, and
- Whereas,** trees are a renewable resource giving us paper, wood for our homes, fuel for our fires and countless other wood products, and
- Whereas,** trees in our city increase property values, enhance the economic vitality of business areas, and beautify our community, and
- Whereas,** wherever they are planted, are a source of joy and spiritual renewal.

Now, Therefore, I, **Claudia P. Anderson, Mayor** of the **City of Bluffdale, Utah**, do hereby proclaim Friday, **April 25, 2008**

Arbor Day

In the City of **Bluffdale, Utah**, I urge all citizens to celebrate Arbor Day and to support efforts to protect our trees and woodlands, and

Further, I urge all citizens to plant trees to gladden the heart and promote the well-being of this and future generations.

Dated this day of **April 25, 2008**

Mayor

