



Proclamation

WHEREAS, 4-H is a community where young people learn leadership, citizenship and life skills; and,

WHEREAS, 4-H is one of the largest youth development organizations in Kansas, with nearly one in every 5 Kansas youth involved in 4-H related programs; and,

WHEREAS, 4-H in Kansas claims 95,976 youth members and 6,176 adult volunteers, while Seward County's 4-H program reached over 2,485 youth through community clubs, school programs and community programs; and,

WHEREAS, 4-H as part of the Kansas State University Research and Extension is a program where youth learn together in all kinds of projects, events and activities; and,

WHEREAS, 4-H has been helping youth and adults learn, grow and work together for more than one hundred years;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jim Rice, Chairman of the Seward County Board of Commissioners, do hereby proclaim October 4 - 10, 2015 as National 4-H Week in Seward County and urge the people of this community to take advantage of the opportunity to become more aware of this special program which gives youth the chance to learn together and on their own as part of Seward County 4-H and to join us in recognizing the unique partnership between our county and our University System.

Jim Rice, Chairman
Seward County Board of Commissioners

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