RESOLUTION 15-44

“A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF RAYMORE, MISSOURI ACKNOWLEDGING AND SUPPORTING THE KC COMMUNITIES FOR ALL AGES AND MID-AMERICA REGIONAL COUNCILS’ COMMUNITIES FOR ALL AGES INITIATIVE.”

WHEREAS, the City of Raymore has worked in partnership with KC Communities for All Ages and the Mid-America Regional Council (MARC); and

WHEREAS, the First Suburbs Coalition, KC Communities for All Ages and MARC have developed a Communities for All Ages Toolkit and Idea Book; and

WHEREAS, the First Suburbs Coalition, KC Communities for All Ages and MARC have, through the efforts of its membership, developed a Communities for All Ages checklist which helps communities orient their physical and service efforts to meet the needs of residents of all ages; and

WHEREAS, the City of Raymore intends to utilize the checklist to assess City policies, programs and investments to make sure they are responsive to the needs of all residents of the City; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires the City of Raymore to be a Community for All Ages.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RAYMORE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City of Raymore adopts as its policy the promotion of Communities for All Ages as a strategy for developing vibrant, prosperous communities for all of its residents.

Section 2. The City of Raymore, through its annual review of the Growth Management Plan, will consider adopting elements of the Communities for All Ages checklist as a tool for the City to build awareness of changing demographics and plan services and infrastructure responsive to residents of all ages.

Section 3. The City of Raymore will work with KC Communities for All Ages, MARC, and other regional partners to further promote the Communities for All Ages concepts, strategies and policies.

Section 4. The City of Raymore intends to submit an application in 2016 for recognition as a Community for All Ages.
Section 5. Any Resolution or part thereof which conflicts with this Resolution shall be null and void.

DULY READ AND PASSED THIS 12TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2015 BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

Councilmember Abdelgawad        Aye
Councilmember Barber              Aye
Councilmember Burke, III          Aye
Councilmember Holman              Aye
Councilmember Hubach              Aye
Councilmember Kellogg             Aye
Councilmember Moorhead            Aye
Councilmember Stevens             Aye

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Erica Hill, Deputy City Clerk

APPROVE:

[Signature]
Peter Kerckhoff, Mayor

10/13/2015
Date of Signature