

CITY OF LAKEWOOD



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, on Tuesday, August 1, 2023, residents of the City of Lakewood will have an opportunity to get together in their neighborhoods to participate in the 39th annual “National Night Out Against Crime;” and

WHEREAS, National Night Out provides an exceptional opportunity for the City of Lakewood to join a national event where thousands of other communities and millions of people around the world come together to promote cooperative, police-community crime prevention efforts; and

WHEREAS, Lakewood residents play a vital role in assisting the Lakewood Police Department through joint crime and drug prevention efforts in the City of Lakewood; and

WHEREAS, it is essential that all residents of Lakewood be made aware of the importance of community policing partnerships, neighborhood safety, awareness and cooperation and the impacts that their participation can have on reducing crime, drugs and violence in Lakewood; and

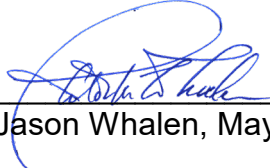
WHEREAS, National Night Out enhances these relationship between neighbors and law enforcement while bringing back a true sense of community.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Lakewood City Council hereby proclaims August 1, 2023 as

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT AGAINST CRIME

in the City of Lakewood and urges all residents to sign up their neighborhood to officially participate in the event by registering with the Lakewood Police Department and bring people together to strengthen neighborhood bonds and engage with police and city officials on the night of the event.

PROCLAIMED this 17th of July, 2023.



Jason Whalen, Mayor