City of Carroll

American Wind Week Proclamation

WHEREAS, Iowa ranks second in the nation for wind power capacity with nearly 9,000 megawatts installed, producing enough electricity to power nearly 2.1 million homes; and

WHEREAS, Iowa is home to 114 wind farms and 10 wind-related manufacturing facilities; and

WHEREAS, wind powers opportunity in cities and communities all across Iowa, resulting in $58 million in state and local tax payments and $20-$30 million in land lease payments in 2018 alone; and

WHEREAS, the development of wind power now supports nearly 10,000 jobs across the state; and

THEREFORE I, Eric Jensen, Mayor of Carroll do hereby recognize August 11-17, 2019 as

American Wind Week

in Carroll and encourage Iowans to learn more about wind's impact on our community and celebrate Iowa's leadership in wind energy production.

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Eric P. Jensen, Mayor