

PROCLAMATION

In the year of our Lord two thousand and nineteen

In Recognition of the services of Reverend Peter Hey

- **WHEREAS**, Reverend Peter Hey recognizes that the service of a pastor in any community is unique, knowing the common thread is the ability to safeguard the spiritual well-being of the congregation; and
- WHEREAS, pastors invest themselves and the majority of their family's lives in their ministry, to be available whenever a member needs assistance; to provide counsel and sometimes comfort. In our community, Reverend Peter Hey has been steadfast in his charge; and
- WHEREAS, because pastors represent many things to a congregation and to a community: Leader; Spiritual Guide; Visionary; Overseer; Teacher; Preacher; Counselor; Friend; and
- WHEREAS, the City Council has been enlightened and blessed by his invocations to guide us, reminding us to that our leadership should be purposeful, our debates should be respectful and our decisions should be thoughtful; and
- WHEREAS, Wesley United Methodist Church has been fortunate to have this shepherd lead, and the whole of the City of Concord has been enriched by his service; and
- WHEREAS, we wish the very best for him on his new mission in Wilmington, Massachusetts; and
- WHEREAS, Reverend Peter Hey, we send you with our hopes that we will meet again.
- NOW, THEREFORE, I Jim Bouley, Mayor of the City of Concord, New Hampshire do hereby thank and recognize Pastor Peter Hey for the difference he has made in the greater Concord community; advising him that he will forever hold a place of high esteem and admiration as the history of this community is written.

Attest: Mayor Jim Bouley