



## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, The City of Bismarck has made a commitment to developing a healthy, vibrant community through fiscally responsible planning and attracting the talent needed to support our growing economy; and

**WHEREAS**, this development has included actively working to enhance the quality of life for residents through new and diverse projects and enhanced walkability; and

**WHEREAS**, innovative partnerships and planning have led to more efficient development and infrastructure; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Bismarck is committed to increasing the amount of community programming to expand resident and visitor experiences to increase vibrancy in the community; and

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, I, Steve Bakken, Mayor of the City of Bismarck, on behalf of this Commission, do hereby proclaim, that the City of Bismarck shall join the Governor's Main Street ND initiative and be known as a **MAIN STREET ND COMMUNITY**.

Let this proclamation support the continued success and efforts of our council, staff, businesses, and residents in creating a vibrant, engaged community.

Signed this 24th day of March 2020.

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Steve Bakken, Mayor  
Bismarck Board of City Commissioners