



2018 Red Ribbon Week – PROCLAMATION –

WHEREAS, alcohol and drug abuse in this Nation have reached epidemic stages; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative that visible, unified prevention education efforts by community members be launched to eliminate the demand for drugs; and

WHEREAS, the National Red Ribbon Campaign offers citizens the opportunity to demonstrate their commitment to drug-free lifestyles (no use of illegal drugs, no illegal use of legal drugs, no irresponsible use of alcohol); and

WHEREAS, the National Red Ribbon Campaign will be celebrated in every community in America during Red Ribbon Week, October 23-31, 2018; and

WHEREAS, business, government, parents, law enforcement, media, medical institutions, religious institutions, schools, senior citizens, service organizations, and youth will demonstrate their commitment to healthy, drug-free lifestyles by wearing and displaying red ribbons during this week-long campaign; and

WHEREAS, the City of Crete further commits its resources to ensure the success of the Red Ribbon Campaign:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the City of Crete does hereby proclaim October 23-31, 2018 as **RED RIBBON WEEK**, and encourages its citizens to participate in drug prevention education activities, not only during Red Ribbon Week, but all year long, making a visible statement that together we are committed to Saline County being drug-free.

Dated this 2nd day of October, 2018

City of Crete

Roger Foster
Mayor

