

# ***PROCLAMATION***

- WHEREAS,** the citizens of Hopkinsville and Christian County feel a deep sense of appreciation for the guidance and leadership provided by its senior citizens; and
- WHEREAS,** we hold them in respect and affection and are grateful they enrich many lives as an incomparable source of wisdom and experience from which we may all learn; and
- WHEREAS,** we salute our citizens now residing in nursing facilities and recognize the immeasurable contributions they have made to our society as the generation that helped to build the communities of this great state and nation; and
- WHEREAS,** nursing facilities with dedicated staff members provide caring and supportive services that enable the highest possible quality of life for our loved ones; and
- WHEREAS,** we pledge to raise awareness of the exceptional care that nursing homes provide to our elderly and disabled citizens.
- NOW, THEREFORE,** we, Carter M. Hendricks, Mayor of the City of Hopkinsville, and Steve Tribble, Judge/Executive of Christian County, do hereby proclaim the week of May 15 through May 19, 2017, as

## ***NATIONAL NURSING HOME WEEK***

in Hopkinsville and Christian County, Kentucky, and urge all citizens to express their appreciation to those who care for our treasured senior citizens who reside in long-term care facilities.

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May 2017.

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**Carter M. Hendricks, Mayor  
City of Hopkinsville**

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**Steve Tribble, Judge/Executive  
Christian County Government**