



**Town of Zionsville Proclamation
Recognizing the weeks of January 16 – 31, 2021 as
HEALTH FOR HUMANITY YOGATHON**

WHEREAS, yoga is an ancient Hindu practice developed thousands of years ago in the Indian subcontinent for maintaining spiritual, mental and physical wellbeing; and,

WHEREAS, Surya Namaskara, or Sun Salutation, is a traditional yogic practice combining a sequence of postures with breathing exercises; and,

WHEREAS, Hindu Swayasevak Sangh, or HSS, is a nonprofit charitable organization with over 235 branches in 173 cities and in 32 states including 5 branches in the state of Indiana, through which it conducts a Hindu values education program and community service activities such as food drives, providing hot meals to shelters and providing PPE to first responders in several cities across Indiana; and,

WHEREAS, HSS is organizing its annual Health for Humanity Yogathon with the goal of having 1,000 individual participants cumulatively complete 11,000 repetitions of Surya Namaskara to promote the spiritual, mental and physical wellbeing of all members of the community; and,

WHEREAS, yoga enthusiasts, yoga studios, local schools and other community organizations are participating in the HSS Health for Humanity Yogathon virtually; and,

WHEREAS, the Town of Zionsville urges all citizens to participate in Yogathon to promote the spiritual, mental and physical well-being of this community.

The Town of Zionsville, through its Mayor, recognizes January 16 – 31, 2021 as

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TOWN OF ZIONSVILLE, INDIANA BY ITS MAYOR

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Emily Styron, Mayor

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Julie Johns-Cole".

Julie Johns-Cole, Deputy Mayor