



## **PROCLAMATION**

- WHEREAS:** The month of October is designated as National Community Planning Month throughout the United States of America and its territories; and
- WHEREAS:** The American Planning Association endorses National Community Planning Month as an opportunity to highlight how planning is essential to recovery, and how planners can lead communities to equitable, resilient and long-lasting recovery; and
- WHEREAS:** Change in our communities is constant, affecting cities, towns, suburbs, counties, boroughs, townships and rural areas; and
- WHEREAS:** Community planning can help manage this change in a way that provides better choices for how people work and live; and
- WHEREAS:** Community planning gives everyone an opportunity to be meaningfully involved in making choices that determine the future of their community; and
- WHEREAS:** Maximizing the benefit of this planning requires public officials and citizens who understand, support, and demand excellence in the plan and its implementation; and
- WHEREAS:** We recognize the many valuable contributions made by professional community and regional planners on behalf of the City of Dover, and extend our heartfelt thanks for the continued commitment to public service by these professionals.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, ROBERT CARRIER, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF DOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE, DO HEREBY RECOGNIZE THE MONTH OF OCTOBER AS:**

## **COMMUNITY PLANNING MONTH**

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I have here unto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Dover to be affixed this **12<sup>TH</sup> day of October, 2022.**

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Robert Carrier, Mayor,  
City of Dover, New Hampshire