Proclamation

WHEREAS, Toastmasters International, based in Englewood, Colorado, is a non-profit, educational organization and a world leader in developing communication and leadership skills; and

WHEREAS, the ability to speak clearly and effectively is a powerful and important skill that can help overcome barriers in effective performance in nearly every type of work and endeavor; and

WHEREAS, Toastmasters International has 352,000 members improving their speaking and leadership skills by attending one of the 16,400 clubs in 141 countries that make up its global network of meeting locations; and

WHEREAS, Colorado is included in Toastmasters District 26. In Colorado, there are 3,488 members attending 181 clubs; and

WHEREAS, on September 19, 1948, District 26, which includes Colorado, Wyoming, and part of Nebraska, was chartered with 16 clubs. On September 19, 2018, Colorado Toastmasters will celebrate its 70th anniversary;

Therefore, I, John W. Hickenlooper, Governor of the State of Colorado, do hereby proclaim, September 19, 2018, as

DISTRICT 26 TOASTMASTERS DAY

in the State of Colorado.

GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado, this nineteenth day of September, 2018

John W. Hickenlooper
Governor