

PROCLAMATION

of

The City of Wichita, Kansas

Founded in 1870

Whereas, temples, churches and mosques are the cornerstones of families, neighborhoods and the community, and play a vital role in steadying and stabilizing our families; and

Whereas, the new Hindu Temple of Greater Wichita, serving the religious, social and cultural needs of the followers of the Hindu Faith, is a tangible sign of a great new beginning for the Hindu community in the Wichita area; and

Whereas, this magnificent structure will have an unquestioned positive impact upon Wichita and will be a tremendous asset to the cultural development and understanding of the entire community; and

Whereas, in these days of religious disharmony, suspicion, and fear, it is important to concentrate on our similarities, our families and our community, and come together for the good of all people;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that I, Bob Knight, Mayor of the City of Wichita, Kansas, do hereby proclaim June 16, 2002, as

Hindu Temple of Greater Wichita Inauguration Day

and extend official and personal congratulations for the successful completion of this magnificent building to the Board of Trustees, the Interim Executive Committee and the entire Hindu community.

June 14, 2002

Date



Bob Knight
Mayor, City of Wichita