Mayoral Commendation

in Recognition of Service to the City of Guthrie

WHEREAS, students of the University of Oklahoma’s College of Architecture – Departments of Regional and City Planning and Landscape Architecture, led by John C. Harris, PhD and Thomas M. Woodfin, PhD, provided valuable volunteer support during the Gentlemen of the Road music tour and downtown arts festival; conducted surveys and performed other research on the infrastructure and environment of the City of Guthrie; compiled information to complete a thorough design analysis and recommendations based on concepts and needs outlined in comprehensive plans for the City of Guthrie; and developed, presented, and provided schematic drawings for developing unique, attractive locations in the downtown central business district of Guthrie;

WHEREAS, these volunteer efforts by the students and staff of the University of Oklahoma’s College of Architecture – Department of Regional and City Planning supports the City of Guthrie’s 2014 goals to accommodate long-term infrastructure, create and sustain a diversity of recreational, educational and cultural opportunities that enrich the lives of our citizens and visitors, and create and enhance the value of the local economy through progressive business development initiatives;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that I, Mark Spradlin, current Mayor of Guthrie, Oklahoma, do hereby offer on behalf of the City of Guthrie our sincere gratitude and appreciation to the following individuals for the extensive work and creative talents provided through the University of Oklahoma’s College of Architecture – Department of Regional and City Planning, including John C. Harris, Ph.D.; Thomas M. Woodfin, Ph.D.; Jennifer Thomas, Justin Henry, Megan Underwood, Trey Ingram, Conor Cummings, Bryce Frost, Ying Li, Lei Guo, Qi Zhao (Sherry), Portia Owens, Mehdi Shahidi-Anvar, Patrick Glasson, Peng Cai, Xianglong Kong, Yuyu Liu, and Zhang Li.

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MAYOR OF GUTHRIE

CITY MANAGER