

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS *Drum Corps International was founded “To promote, develop and preserve the operational and artistic standards of the competitive musical sport and to provide organization and leadership for the activity and to develop and successfully operate musical events for the participating drum corps community,” and*

WHEREAS *more than 250 corps operate in the United States and Canada and an additional 100 plus corps are based in other countries, and*

WHEREAS *countless thousands of young people, including many from Broken Arrow, have participated in Drum Corps International competitions and have enhanced their musical and performance skills through such competition, and*

WHEREAS *six superb drum corps from all over the United States are competing in the Summer Music Games tour at Broken Arrow High School’s Memorial Stadium on July 7, 2004 performing for Broken Arrow residents and numerous visitors from around the country,*

Now therefore, I, Richard M. Carter, Mayor of the City of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma hereby declare the day of July 7, 2004 to be:

“DRUM CORPS INTERNATIONAL DAY”

in the City of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Broken Arrow to be affixed this day of July, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Four.

Mayor

Attest:

City Clerk