



PROCLAMATION

Declaring October 21-22, 2022 “Wine Country Weekend” in Yountville, CA

WHEREAS, GRAMMY award-winning singer and actor Tim McGraw has partnered with renowned American restaurateur, Emmy award-winning and Food Network star Chef Guy Fieri to co-create “Wine Country Weekend” to raise funds for brain health and wellness on October 21 & 22, 2022 in the Napa Valley;

WHEREAS, “Wine Country Weekend” kicks off on October 21, with “Cabs, Culinary and Country” at Silver Oak Wine Cellars in Oakville, featuring culinary experiences led by Chef Guy Fieri and a musical performance by Tim McGraw. The night will also feature The Silverado Pickups, a band of wine country leaders passionate about music, wine and philanthropy;

WHEREAS, on October 22, Chef Fieri will prepare a BBQ feast to honor the residents of the Yountville Veterans Home, healthcare providers, and first responders who have protected and served our Napa Valley community. The day also includes the inaugural “Game for Heroes” celebrity softball game where the lineups for Team McGraw and Team Fieri will be comprised of hometown heroes, first responders, military veterans, healthcare professionals, local officials and sponsors;

WHEREAS, all proceeds will benefit The Guy Fieri Foundation, The Neighbor’s Keeper Advised Fund, and The Tug McGraw Foundation, to further their work with our nation’s heroes and vulnerable populations;

WHEREAS, The Tug McGraw Foundation was established in 2003 by former Major League Baseball pitcher Tug McGraw. Headquartered on the Yountville Veterans Home campus, President and CEO Jennifer Brusstar leads the foundation’s efforts to improve quality of life for those affected by brain-related trauma and tumors through education, resources and brain wellness programs;

WHEREAS, The Guy Fieri Foundation is a non-profit organization started in 2011 with a mission of teaching the next generation of chefs how to cook. The foundation has expanded to offer programs that support first responders in disaster locations, and celebrate our local heroes, military and veterans;

WHEREAS, The Neighbor’s Keeper Advised Fund of The Community Foundation of Middle Tennessee was founded by Faith Hill and Tim McGraw in 2004 out of their desire to help people in need and encourage the spirit of neighbors helping neighbors;

NOW, THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED, that I, John F. Dunbar, Mayor of the Town of Yountville, declare October 21-22, 2022 “Wine Country Weekend” in the Town of Yountville. We celebrate the efforts of Guy Fieri and Tim McGraw to further brain health and wellness for our veterans, first responders and healthcare professionals.

John F. Dunbar, Mayor