

PROCLAMATION

Special Recognition of "Lemonade Day" Month

WHEREAS, Lemonade Day is a national initiative to educate youth on how to start, own and operate their own business, using a lemonade stand to teach fundamental lessons about life, success, and giving back to community; and,

WHEREAS, in 2011, the Lemonade Day pilot program in Northeast Ohio was so successful that the program was expanded in 2012, enabling thousands of children in our region to take advantage of this opportunity to learn about entrepreneurship and acquire basic business skills necessary for them to become successful, contributing members of society; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Hudson, Hudson City Schools, Hudson Montessori School, Seton Catholic School, The Burton D. Morgan Foundation, and Hudson Economic Development Corporation are actively supporting student participation in Lemonade Day during the month of May, 2013; and,

WHEREAS, community involvement is encouraged to support this program in Hudson, including youths of all ages who want to become entrepreneurs, adults interested in supervising, businesses and investors who wish to partner with participants, and customers who wish to enjoy the fruits of these efforts.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, William A. Currin, Mayor of the City of Hudson, Ohio, do hereby proclaim the month of May, 2013, as

"LEMONADE DAY" MONTH

in Hudson, Ohio, and urge our citizens to support this valuable program.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF:

I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Hudson to be affixed on this 17th day of April, 2013.

William A. Currin, Mayor City of Hudson, Ohio