PROCLAMATION RECOGNIZING NATIONAL DRIVE ELECTRIC MONTH

September 12 – October 12, 2025

WHEREAS, petroleum-fueled vehicles are responsible for 30% of U.S. greenhouse gas emissions and are a contributing factor to air pollution and climate change, threatening the health of our citizens and the sustainability of our planet; and

WHEREAS, the transportation sector needs support to move toward adoption of clean energy technology, including plug-in electric vehicles, that reduces our dependance on foreign fuels and supports a healthy environment and economy; and

WHEREAS, Kaukauna is dedicated to being a leader in the use of clean energy, establishing policies and programs that conserve energy, and promote sustainability; and

WHEREAS, September 12 to October 12, 2025 has been designated as National Drive Electric Month throughout the United States to educate our citizens about the benefits of plug-in electric vehicles and to promote their adoption; and

WHEREAS, Kaukauna is hosting the annual Drive Electric Fox Cities EV car show on Wednesday, September 24th at Hydro Park;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Anthony J. Penterman, Mayor of the City of Kaukauna, do hereby proclaim September 12 to October 12, 2025 as "Drive Electric Month" in the City of Kaukauna, Wisconsin and call upon all residents of this great city to join me in supporting the aims and goals of this worldwide effort.

Dated this 2nd day of September 2025.

Anthony J. Penterman, Mayor

