

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, in 1872, J. Sterling Morton proposed to the Nebraska Board of Agriculture that a special day be set aside for the planting of trees; and

WHEREAS, this holiday, called Arbor Day, was first observed with the planting of more than a million trees; and

WHEREAS, Arbor Day is now observed throughout the nation and the world; and

WHEREAS, trees can reduce the erosion of our precious topsoil by wind and water, cut heating and cooling costs, moderate the temperature, clean the air, produce life-giving oxygen, and provide habitat for wildlife; and

WHEREAS, trees are a renewable resource giving us paper, wood for our homes, and fuel for our fires; and

WHEREAS, trees in our City increase property values, enhance the economic vitality of business areas, and beautify our community; and

WHEREAS, trees, wherever they are planted, are a source of joy and spiritual renewal; and

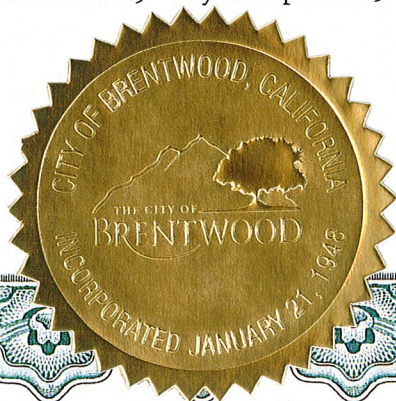
WHEREAS, the City of Brentwood will celebrate Arbor Day on Saturday, April 29th 2023 from 9am through noon at Miwok Park to plant trees and spread mulch.

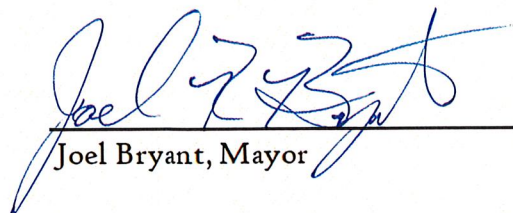
THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the City Council of the City of Brentwood, proclaims April 29, 2023 as

ARBOR DAY

and encourages all citizens to celebrate and support efforts to protect our trees and woodlands in our community.

Dated this 25th day of April 2023




Joel Bryant, Mayor