



**PROCLAMATION
OMAHA BEER WEEK**

WHEREAS, Nebraska has a long history of beer brewing and breweries within the state who partner with other locally owned businesses; and

WHEREAS, Omaha Beer Week was founded in 2012 to support locally owned breweries and has encouraged thousands of people to explore dozens of new breweries, bars, restaurants and retail locations in the greater Omaha metropolitan area, including in La Vista; and

WHEREAS, the Omaha metropolitan area has recently been highlighted by the brewing industry, news organizations, and entertainment influencers as one of the nation's fastest-growing destinations to enjoy high-quality craft beer; and

WHEREAS, La Vista is proud to be home to several craft brewers, distillers, distributors, as well as many outstanding bars and restaurants; and

WHEREAS, the COVID-19 pandemic has greatly impacted local businesses, especially in the industries supported by Omaha Beer Week and support is greatly needed to help these businesses and their employees thrive and recover from these challenging times; and

WHEREAS, Omaha Beer Week and its member businesses are providing safe, entertaining experiences for citizens to enjoy this summer.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Douglas Kindig, Mayor of the City of La Vista, do hereby proclaim July 17 - July 24, 2021 as ***Omaha Beer Week*** in the City of La Vista and I urge citizens to responsibly enjoy and support the craft breweries, bars and restaurants that La Vista has to offer.

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF JULY, 2021.

Douglas Kindig, Mayor

ATTEST:

Pamela A. Buethe, CMC
City Clerk