## Proclamation

In recognition of National Parent's Day, be it known this day, any parent of a child born or residing in the City of Sandy, Utah, USA. From this day forward, will be afforded equal consideration as to the raising and the supporting role of bringing up their children, and afforded their individually protected Constitutional Rights, and direct that their parental affairs be unabridged by governmental intrusion unless specific evidence of harm, neglect, or abuse of any child shall occur.

Be it hereby known that children born or residing within the City of Sandy, Utah will be provided full governmental action to ensure that these children may be properly and jointly raised by their parents, and that these children will have their Constitutional Rights protected for their safety, happiness, and development and applied as individuals afforded such by this Proclamation.

Sandy City is hereby bound to provide the children of their citizens the best available opportunity to grown, develop, mature, and advance in an environment free from fear, harm, or abuse and allowed to be raised by their supporting parents. To this end, Sandy City is bound to ensure that all parents fill their parental responsibilities equally to raise and support their children and such parents will be treated fairly and equally in their efforts required of them. Sandy City will promote and enforce equal application of the law, and seek redress from any offending parent or entity shown to violate the rights of the children of Sandy City, Utah.

Sandy City will protect their children from being exploited, or harmed by any parent or entity in any negative, destructive, harmful or deviant manner, and will hold the offender accountable for the effects such conduct has on the children. If a parent or a child is a victim of abuse, or neglect, the resources of Sandy City can be implemented to disseminate information, support activities, or events, in support of this proclamation and provide safety or protection to the citizens or such victims.

This Proclamation is to promote and provide effective and responsible parenting and for the express benefit of and growth and development of the residents of Sandy, Utah.

Dated this 27th day of June, 2008.

Tom Dolan, Mayor