

# PROCLAMATION

## JULY 2021

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### *Honoring the 50th anniversary of the Castle Rock Senior Activity Center*

*Whereas* the Castle Rock Senior Activity Center invites those in the community age 50+ to join in “loving life in the second half;” and

*Whereas* the center is marking its own 50th anniversary this year, having gotten started in 1971 in the Blue Flame Room of Wilcox Street’s Peoples Natural Gas building, which is now home to Castle Rock Music; and

*Whereas* the center enjoyed other notable homes prior to moving in 1997 to its present location within the Castle Rock Recreation Center: Castle Rock’s oldest building, the old “City Hotel” on Perry Street; the old train depot on Elbert Street that’s now the Castle Rock Museum; and the church on Third Street that’s now Castle Rock Baptist; and

*Whereas* the chronicles of the center’s members are just as storied as the buildings the group has occupied – hundreds of its members have together embarked on adventures to theaters, casinos, restaurants, to go white-water rafting and beyond; and

*Whereas* the nonprofit center also fills vital roles by providing transportation services, nutritious meals, wellness activities and more within the community. This work has been especially important over the past 16 months, as the center has supported local seniors through the COVID-19 pandemic; and

*Whereas,* because the center has reached this significant milestone, more than 1,100 local residents are able to enjoy friendships, opportunities to stay active, and chances to share their time and talents – like crafting – with the community, touching lives throughout the Castle Rock area.

#### **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CASTLE ROCK AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section I. Commendation.** The Council hereby commends, congratulates, and gives special recognition to the Castle Rock Senior Activity Center on its 50th anniversary and extends best wishes in its golden year and for the future.

**PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 6th day of July 2021, by the Town Council  
of the Town of Castle Rock, Colorado.

ATTEST:

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Lisa Anderson, Town Clerk

TOWN OF CASTLE ROCK

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Jason Gray, Mayor

