

# Proclamation

*City of St. Joseph, Missouri*

## MILITARY APPRECIATION MONTH

**WHEREAS**, the freedom and security that citizens of the United States enjoy today are direct results of the blood shed and continued vigilance of the United States Armed Forces over the history of our great Nation; and

**WHEREAS**, the sacrifices made by members of the military, and the family members that support them, have preserved the liberties that have enriched this Nation and made it unique in the world community; and

**WHEREAS**, May is a time to remember those who gave their lives in defense of freedom and to honor the men and women of our Armed Services who have served, or are currently serving our Country.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Bill Falkner, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of St. Joseph, do hereby proclaim the month of May, 2010 as **Military Appreciation Month** in St. Joseph, Missouri.

**ISSUED:** This 3<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 2010

**Bill Falkner**

*Mayor*

