

# Proclamation

*City of St. Joseph, Missouri*

## RSVP VOLUNTEER DAY

**WHEREAS**, seniors continually renew their commitment to their community and their neighbors; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is extremely grateful, personally and collectively, for the contributions seniors generously give, to our lives and community; and

**WHEREAS**, today the City recognizes the outstanding contributions of 387 volunteers who participate in RSVP programs in Buchanan, Clinton and DeKalb Counties; and

**WHEREAS**, RSVP, the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program of Buchanan County, is sponsored by Inter-Serv and begins its 37<sup>th</sup> year of service to this Community; and

**WHEREAS**, 44 public, non-profit, private organizations and agencies participate at RSVP volunteer workstations; and

**WHEREAS**, in 2008, Inter-Serv's 353 RSVP volunteers donated 46,228 hours of volunteer services throughout this Community.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Ken Shearin, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of St. Joseph, do hereby proclaim this day, Wednesday, May 20, 2009 as **RSVP Volunteer Day** in St. Joseph, Missouri.

**FURTHERMORE**, I join with the citizens of St. Joseph, Missouri in celebration of our RSVP volunteers and in appreciation for the valuable services they provide to our Community

**ISSUED:** This 20<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2009

**Ken Shearin**  
*Mayor*

