



## *Proclamation*

**WHEREAS**, the City of Santa Rosa has assumed a leadership role by setting Zero Waste as a goal and adopting a Zero Waste Resolution and sets a goal of Zero Waste by 2030; and

**WHEREAS**, each year, Zero Waste Sonoma and community partners host a one day Zero Waste Symposium as a local opportunity for industry and the public to gain insight on zero waste topics and trends, share ideas, and network; and

**WHEREAS**, since 2022, Zero Waste Sonoma has coordinated and promoted a week of events aimed at educating and empowering various sectors of the public to act toward zero waste; and

**WHEREAS**, since 2022, Zero Waste Sonoma has collaborated with North Bay groups in Sonoma, Napa, and Marin Counties, and volunteers to expand these event offerings which have included clothing and produce swaps, recycling, compost and water treatment facility tours, repair and reuse fairs, litter cleanups, food waste reduction classes, environmental film screenings, and more; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Santa Rosa along with public, private, and non-profit organizations, and community groups will be hosting zero waste events throughout the week of October 11-18.

**NOW, THEREFORE, MAY IT BE RESOLVED**, that I, Mark Stapp, Mayor of the city of Santa Rosa, on behalf of the entire City Council, in recognition of our community, do hereby proclaim October 11<sup>th</sup> through 18<sup>th</sup>, 2025, as

### **ZERO WASTE WEEK**



  
Mayor Mark Stapp  
October 14, 2025