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Celebrate Arbor Day

- Whereas, In 1872, J. Sterling Morton Proposed to the Nebraska Board of agriculture that a special day be set aside for the planting of trees, and*
- Whereas, This holiday, called Arbor Day, was first observed with the planting of more than a million trees, and*
- Whereas, Arbor Day is now observed throughout the nation and the world, and*
- Whereas, Trees can reduce the erosion of our precious topsoil by wind and water, cut heating and cooling costs, moderate the temperature, clean the air, produce life-giving oxygen, and provide habitat for wildlife, and*
- Whereas, Trees are a renewable resource giving us paper, wood for our homes, fuel for our fires, and beautify our community, and*
- Whereas, Trees in our City increase property values, enhance the economic vitality of business areas, and beautify our community, and*
- Whereas, Planting trees is an excellent way to honor the Heritage of the Great State of Utah,*

***Now, Therefore, I, M. Darrin LeFevre,
Mayor of the City of Toquerville,
Do Hereby Proclaim
The 4th Friday of April as***

Arbor Day

In the City of Toquerville, and I urge all citizens to celebrate Arbor Day and to support efforts to protect our Trees and Community Forest, and

Further, I urge all citizens to plant trees to gladden the heart and promote the well-being of this and future generations,

Dated this 9th day of July

M. Darrin Lefevre

Mayor M. Darrin Lefevre

