

Proclamation

PLAY BALL SUMMER

June – August 2016

WHEREAS, the sport of baseball is America's national pastime; and

WHEREAS, The United States Conference of Mayors and Major League Baseball have come together to sponsor June-August as Play Ball Summer; and

WHEREAS, Play Ball Summer encourages families and communities to participate in the game of baseball thus creating a sustainable enthusiasm for the game; and

WHEREAS, cities across the county will be coming together during the summer to support the growth of baseball; and

WHEREAS, the sport of baseball has produced countless family and community bonding experiences; and

WHEREAS, the sport of baseball has taught our youth the valuable life lessons of teamwork, perseverance, leadership, and sportsmanship; and

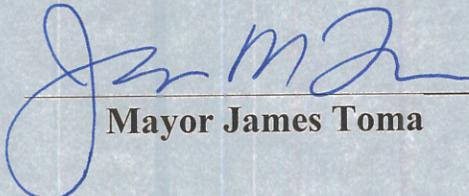
WHEREAS, the sport of baseball provides a proud sense of belonging to something bigger than oneself; and

WHEREAS, we recognize the importance and influence of the sport of baseball in the City of West Covina.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that I, James Toma, Mayor of West Covina, hereby proclaim June-August 2016 as Play Ball Summer throughout the City of West Covina.

On this 5th day of April, 2016




Mayor James Toma