



**State of Minnesota
City of Oakdale
Proclamation**

WHEREAS, Hy-Vee opened their doors in Oakdale on September 22, 2015, along with New Hope, to bring the first Hy-Vee stores to the Twin Cities area; and

WHEREAS, following the Oakdale store's opening, Hy-Vee's Twin Cities presence has continued to grow, with more than a dozen stores opening; and

WHEREAS, the addition of Hy-Vee, as well as its neighboring businesses, marked tremendous progress in the development of the Oakdale Mall site and growth of Oakdale's business community; and

WHEREAS, since opening, Hy-Vee has been a consistent and valued employer, employing more than 400 people in Oakdale; and

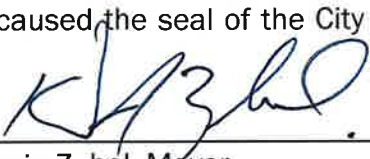
WHEREAS, Hy-Vee's kindness and generosity has benefitted countless community groups, as well as Oakdale public safety personnel over the years through food donations and fundraising support; and

WHEREAS, Hy-Vee's support of fellow businesses and the Oakdale Area Chamber of Commerce has contributed to a thriving business community in Oakdale; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of their 10th anniversary in Oakdale, we celebrate Hy-Vee and thank them for doing business in our city.

THEREFORE, I, Kevin Zabel, Mayor of Oakdale, Minnesota, hereby proclaim September 22, 2025 as "Hy-Vee Day" in the City of Oakdale.

IN WITNESS THEREOF: I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Oakdale to be affixed on this 22nd day of September, 2025.



Kevin Zabel, Mayor