The County of Centre PROCLAMATION

NUMBER 32 OF 2018

WHEREAS, Global Entrepreneurship Week (GEW) Penn State, presented by the Penn State Small Business Development Center, is celebrating 10 years of bringing together innovators and job creators who launch startups and drive economic growth in our community; and

WHEREAS, over the past decade GEW Penn State has grown into one of the largest GEW partners in the United States engaging more than 4,000 Penn State students, faculty, community members and volunteers at University Park, Commonwealth campuses, and in communities statewide; and

WHEREAS, GEW Penn State presenters and attendees engage with some of the best; and

WHEREAS, participants in GEW Penn State are part of a global celebration of entrepreneurship and innovation with more than 170 countries and 10 million participants worldwide; and

WHEREAS, Centre County embraces the entrepreneurial spirit, exploring new ideas and seizing opportunities to create jobs and a vibrant economy; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Centre County Board of Commissioners does hereby proclaim November 7-15, 2018 as "Global Entrepreneurship Week Penn State" and urges participation from the community in this celebration of entrepreneurship.

ADOPTED this 16th day of October 2018.

CENTRE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Steven G. Dershem

ATTEST:

Margaret N. Gray, Administrator