

Office of the Mayor
City of Fayetteville
Proclamation



WHEREAS: born on October 31, 1940, Aubrey James Shepherd has embraced the land of Arkansas since coming here from Louisiana, walking our waterways, creeks and streams with camera in hand and a heart for conservation, and

WHEREAS: as an English professor Aubrey inspired many with his unique style, including the use of the Herter's outdoor equipment catalog for examples of descriptive-style writing, and

WHEREAS: Aubrey is well known as a story teller, educator, and activist, a champion of environmental conservation and a friend to those who come to him with a need, and

WHEREAS: Aubrey has served our city well with his work on the Fayetteville Telecommunications Board, the Environmental Action Committee, Partners for Better Housing, Ozark Headwaters Chapter of the Sierra Club and the Regional National Cemetery Improvement Corporation, and

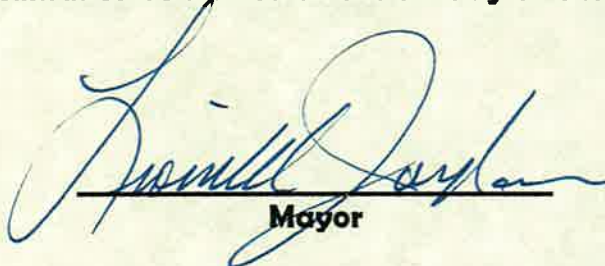
WHEREAS: in all that he does, Aubrey has shown his great love for all creatures and has devoted himself to educating and encouraging us all to be more aware of the world around us and to respect and appreciate all living things,

NOW THEREFORE, I, Lioneld Jordan, Mayor of the City of Fayetteville, Arkansas do hereby proclaim Saturday, October 31, 2015 as

"AUBREY JAMES SHEPHERD DAY"

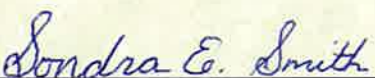
in Fayetteville, Arkansas and encourage all to celebrate this day with Aubrey.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Fayetteville, Arkansas to be affixed on the 31st day of October, 2015.



Mayor

Attest:



City Clerk

