



*Mayoral Proclamation*  
*EID-UL-FITR DAY*  
*March 20, 2026*  
*(1<sup>st</sup> Shawal)*

**WHEREAS**, March 20, 2026 (1<sup>st</sup> Shawal) is celebrated as **“EID-UL-FITR DAY”** by the Muslim community all over the world; and

**WHEREAS**, this “Eid” is a day of gathering by the people of Allah (swt) as He renews His bounties in them and distributes His blessings to His worshippers, while also calling on them to share their bounties with the needy; and

**WHEREAS**, through the graciousness of the Islamic Center of McLean County, they have invited others of the community to witness the strength of their faith and to share their joyousness on this day; and

**WHEREAS**, the strong and serious character of the families of the Islamic Center of McLean County have enriched the fabric of Bloomington through their faith, good deeds, substantial achievements, and commitment to the American values of “life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness”.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Dan Brady, Mayor of Bloomington, do hereby proclaim March 20, 2026 as **“EID-UL-FITR DAY”** in Bloomington, and urge all our residents to recognize and respect the goodness of the Islamic faith and its people, to move beyond tolerance of others who may not share religions, and learn to accept and appreciate all people in a spirit of true brotherhood, to further build Bloomington’s intercultural strengths.

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Dan Brady  
Mayor



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Leslie Yocum  
City Clerk