



PROCLAMATION

INDIGENOUS PEOPLES DAY

Whereas, the City of Avondale acknowledges the historic and ongoing contributions of Indigenous peoples to our community, nation, and the world; and

Whereas, Indigenous Peoples Day is an opportunity to honor and celebrate the cultures, languages, traditions, and resilience of Indigenous peoples; and

Whereas, the City of Avondale recognizes the importance of raising awareness about the history and culture of Indigenous peoples, as well as promoting respectful and honest dialogue; and

Whereas, we affirm the principles of respect, understanding, and honesty that must be a part of a national dialogue on the history of America's Indigenous people.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Kenneth Weise, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Avondale, Arizona do hereby proclaim October 9, 2023, as Indigenous Peoples Day in the City of Avondale.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kenneth Weise".

Mayor

Attest:

A handwritten signature in blue ink that appears to read "mcastro".

City Clerk