



PROCLAMATION

BUILDING SAFETY MONTH – MAY 2025

Whereas, our city is committed to recognizing that our growth and strength depends on the safety and essential role our homes, buildings, and infrastructure play, both in everyday life and when disasters strike, and;

Whereas, our confidence in the resilience of these buildings that make up our community is achieved through the devotion of vigilant guardians, building safety and fire prevention officials, architects, engineers, builders, tradespeople, design professionals, laborers, plumbers and others in the construction industry who work year-round to ensure the safe construction of buildings, and;

Whereas, these guardians are dedicated members of the International Code Council, a nonprofit that brings together local, state, and federal officials who are experts in the built environment to create and implement the highest quality codes to protect us in the buildings where we live, learn, work and play, and;

Whereas, these modern building codes include safeguards to protect the public from hazards such as monsoon storms, microbursts, wildland fires, and floods, and;

Whereas, Building Safety Month reminds the public of the critical role our code officials play as protectors of public safety, ensuring the safe construction of buildings essential to our prosperity, while also highlighting the importance of fire prevention, disaster mitigation, resilient construction, energy conservation, water safety, training, and new technologies.

Whereas, this observance encourages global awareness of the importance of safe, resilient buildings and acknowledges the contributions of local building departments and fire prevention bureaus in protecting lives and property.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, I, Mike Pineda, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Avondale, Arizona, do hereby proclaim May 2025 as Building Safety Month, to raise awareness and cultivate a deeper understanding.

Proclaimed this 21st day of April 2025.

Attest:

Mayor

City Clerk