

A PROCLAMATION OF THE MAYOR OF
THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, PROCLAIMING THE
WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 28, 2026, TO OCTOBER 2, 2026, AS
FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING APPRECIATION WEEK IN
THE CITY OF NORMAN.

- § 1. WHEREAS, the Finance and Accounting functions of the City of Norman play a vital role in safeguarding public resources, maintaining financial accountability, supporting sound fiscal decision making, and ensuring the responsible stewardship of taxpayer dollars; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, City Finance and Accounting professionals provide essential services in accounting, budgeting, financial reporting, treasury, payroll, purchasing, revenue management, financial analysis, and other functions that support the effective operation of municipal government; and
- § 3. WHEREAS, the City of Norman has demonstrated a longstanding commitment to financial excellence, receiving the Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting and Distinguished Budget Presentation Award for more than 30 consecutive years, reflecting the dedication, accuracy, professionalism, and continuous improvement of its Finance and Accounting staff; and
- § 4. WHEREAS, the City is proud to have a highly trained and credentialed Finance and Accounting team, including professionals holding certifications and designations such as Certified Public Accountant (CPA), Certified Public Finance Officer (CPFO), Advanced Certified Public Funds Accountant (ACPFA), and Certified Public Funds Investment Manager (CPFIM); and
- § 5. WHEREAS, through their integrity, transparency, accountability, collaboration, expertise, and diligence, Finance and Accounting professionals provide the financial foundation that enables the City departments to deliver services, implement community priorities, and responsibly plan for Norman's future, making Finance and Accounting Appreciation Week an opportunity to recognize and celebrate their contributions to the City and community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

- § 6. Do hereby proclaim the week of September 28, 2026, to October 2, 2026, as Finance and Accounting Appreciation Week in Norman.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 22nd day of September 2026.

Mayor, Stephen T. Holman

ATTEST:

City Clerk

