

A PROCLAMATION OF THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 2024, AS NATIVE AMERICAN/INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' HERITAGE MONTH IN THE CITY OF NORMAN.

- § 1. WHEREAS, the Native American/Indigenous population residing within the City of Norman is represented by a unique and diverse population of Indigenous peoples from many tribal nations; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, this unique population enriches every aspect of our nation, state, and community; and
- § 3. WHEREAS, the Native American/Indigenous population of Norman is represented within every facet of the City including, but not limited to, primary, secondary, and higher education; business and non-profit organizations; federal, state, and tribal services; health professions; industry; the armed services; religion; law enforcement; entertainment; and the fine arts; and
- § 4. WHEREAS, fostering pride in the languages, traditions, and practices that make up the extraordinary richness of Native American/Indigenous culture is central to our shared progress as a community; and
- § 5. WHEREAS, the beauty and richness of Native American/Indigenous cultures provide a dynamic presence in the City of Norman that attracts visitors from across the state, nation, and world.

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

- § 6. Do hereby proclaim the month of November, 2024, as Native American/Indigenous Peoples' Heritage Month in the City of Norman and encourage all citizens to join me in recognizing the contributions made by Native American/Indigenous people to our community and in celebrating the diversity and character of our community.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 12th day of November, 2024.

ATTEST:

Mayor

City Clerk