



PROCLAMATION

Diabetes Awareness Month November 2018

WHEREAS, the month of November 2018 is Diabetes Awareness Month; and

WHEREAS, in the United States, nearly 30 million people – including 695,000 in Arizona – have diabetes, a serious disease with potentially life-threatening complications such as heart disease, stroke, blindness, kidney disease and amputation; and

WHEREAS, an additional 84 million people in the United States are at risk for developing type 2 diabetes; and

WHEREAS, approximately every 21 seconds, someone in the United States is diagnosed with diabetes; and

WHEREAS, an increase in community awareness is necessary to put a stop to the diabetes epidemic.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Town Council of Queen Creek, Arizona, do hereby proclaim the month of November 2018 as

Diabetes Awareness Month

in Queen, AZ, and encourage all Americans to recognize American Diabetes Month and be part of the American Diabetes Association's movement to confront, fight and, most importantly, change the future of this deadly disease.

WITNESS MY HAND this 21st day of November 2018.

Mayor Gail Barney

Attest: Jennifer F. Robinson, Town Clerk