



TOWN OF QUEEN CREEK | OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

PROCLAMATION



WHEREAS, more than 35,000 people are killed in motor vehicle traffic crashes on U.S. roadways each year and nearly 1,000 fatalities occur annually in the state of Arizona; and

WHEREAS, talking on a mobile phone, texting, programming your dashboard infotainment system or GPS can divert your attention away from driving and result in physical or cognitive distraction; and

WHEREAS, Queen Creek residents and all Americans deserve to live in communities that promote safe driving behaviors and healthy lifestyles; and



WHEREAS, preventing distracted driving injuries and deaths requires the cooperation of all levels of government, employers and the general public; and

WHEREAS, spring is a time when people begin to log more miles on the road and it is imperative to focus attention on motor vehicle injury risks and preventions.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that I, Julia Wheatley, Mayor of the Town of Queen Creek, do hereby proclaim April 2023 as

DISTRACTED DRIVING AWARENESS MONTH

And encourage the community to observe Distracted Driving Awareness Month by practicing safe driving behaviors and pledging to drive distraction-free.



WITNESS MY HAND this 5th day of April, 2023.

Julia Wheatley,
Mayor

Maria Gonzalez,
Town Clerk