



# 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.

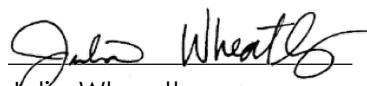
**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that I, Julia Wheatley, Mayor of the Town of Queen Creek, do hereby proclaim April 2024 as

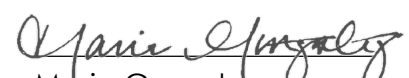
## **DISTRACTED DRIVING AWARENESS MONTH**

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 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2024.

  
Julia Wheatley,  
Mayor

  
Maria Gonzalez,  
Town Clerk