



# TOWN OF QUEEN CREEK | OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

# PROCLAMATION



**WHEREAS**, families are the fabric of our community and should foster safety, security and love; and

**WHEREAS**, domestic violence destroys families and weakens communities; and

**WHEREAS**, domestic violence is the willful intimidation, assault, or other abusive behavior perpetrated by one intimate partner against another and includes physical violence, threats and emotional abuse; and



**WHEREAS**, domestic violence can affect men, women and children in every community, regardless of age, socioeconomic status, race, or geographical location; and

**WHEREAS**, the impacts of domestic violence are long-lasting and harmful to not only individuals and families, but communities as a whole; and

**WHEREAS**, domestic violence is one of the most dangerous and expensive crimes in the criminal justice system; and

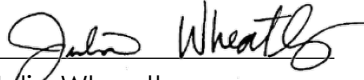
**WHEREAS**, more can be done to prevent domestic violence.



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

## Domestic Violence Awareness Month

**WITNESS MY HAND** this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 2024.

  
Julia Wheatley,  
Mayor

  
Maria Gonzalez,  
Town Clerk