



Legislation Text

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Memorandum

Date: September 24, 2024

To: The Honorable Lake County Board of Supervisors

From: Eddie Crandell, District 3 Supervisor
Moke Simon, District 1 Supervisor

Subject: Presentation of a Proclamation Declaring September 27, 2024 as Native American Day in Lake County

Executive Summary:

Proclamation

**DECLARING SEPTEMBER 27, 2024 AS NATIVE AMERICAN DAY
IN LAKE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA**

WHEREAS, Lake County has been home to people for greater than 12,000 years, and the richly diverse cultures of the seven Tribal Nations indigenous to Lake County, Middletown Rancheria of Pomo Indians of California, Koi Nation of Northern California, Big Valley Band of Pomo Indians, Scotts Valley Band of Pomo Indians, Habematolel Pomo of Upper Lake, Robinson Rancheria of Pomo Indians of California and Elem Indian Colony, have informed every aspect of our community's history; and

WHEREAS, Native Americans have helped to make our community stronger and more prosperous; and

WHEREAS, we celebrate the richness of the County's unique Tribal history and traditions and the impact Native American cultures have had upon every American; and

WHEREAS, in 2019, our Board took the historic step of declaring each second Monday in October as Indigenous Peoples' Day in Lake County, in affirmation of our commitment to honoring this unique and powerful local history; and

WHEREAS, Lake County is committed to protecting the Sovereign right of Native American Tribal organizations and institutions to strengthen their own communities; and

WHEREAS, in observance of Native American Day, the County of Lake encourages all citizens to

join in recognizing the accomplishments and contributions Native Americans have made to our County, and salutes those who have sought to honor the important role of Tribal leadership in our County's past, present and future.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Lake County Board of Supervisors declares Friday, September 27, 2024, Native American Day in Lake County, California.

If not budgeted, fill in the blanks below only:

Estimated Cost: _____ Amount Budgeted: _____ Additional Requested: _____ Future Annual Cost: _____

Consistency with Vision 2028 (check all that apply):

Not applicable

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Well-being of Residents | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Safety | <input type="checkbox"/> Disaster Prevention, Preparedness, Recovery |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Economic Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Infrastructure | <input type="checkbox"/> County Workforce |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community Collaboration | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Process Efficiency | <input type="checkbox"/> Clear Lake |

Recommended Action: Ceremonial item only