PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: Our Founding Fathers, in order to secure the blessings of liberty for themselves and their posterity, did ordain and establish a Constitution for the United States of America; and,

WHEREAS: Throughout history, citizens of our country have understood the provisions and principles contained in that Constitution and stepped forward to support, preserve and defend it against all encroachments; and,

WHEREAS: Those men and women, living and dead are considered to be our **American Patriots and Veterans;** and,

WHEREAS: We as citizens of this great country and fine community, must unite together, honor their sacrifices and rededicate ourselves to the principles and values for which they so honorably upheld and defended for generations to follow;

NOW, THEREFORE, I KENNY J. EVANS, MAYOR OF THE TOWN OF PAYSON, ARIZONA, do hereby proclaim:

SUNDAY, MAY 24th AND MONDAY, MAY 25th , 2009, MEMORIAL DAY

AS

" DAYS TO REMEMBER AND HONOR OUR VETERANS"

In Payson and urge all citizens to declare our deep and abiding appreciation to the many men and women who have died defending our country; to those currently deployed worldwide; and to rededicate ourselves to those values and principles which define our national identity with resolve and determination.

IN WITNESS THERETO, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Town of Payson, Arizona, to be affixed this 19th day of May, 2009.

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Kenny J. Evans, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Silvia Smith, Town Clerk

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