PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, everyday comforts and supplies are needed and appreciated by our troops overseas in Iraq and Afghanistan; and

WHEREAS, Payson Supply Line was founded by Payson citizens Butch Klein and Lud Kaftan; and

WHEREAS, Payson Supply Line collects, assembles, purchases and delivers items that are needed and requested by military personnel that are not supplied by normal government issue; and

WHEREAS, thirty five pounds of such items are typically packed in an average box of supplies; and

WHEREAS, one box holds enough health care products, snacks, cereal, powdered drink mixes, hand and foot warmers and other invaluable items to service eight or more people; and

WHEREAS, many of these boxes are distributed by request, and many go to relatives of Payson area citizens; and

WHEREAS, Payson Supply Line has shipped over 1,070 boxes between January, 2005 and September, 2009, at a shipping cost of approximately $65.00 per box; and

WHEREAS, Payson Supply Line is a non-profit organization that depends on donations to fulfill its mission to help our troops with creature comforts,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kenny J. Evans, Mayor of the Town of Payson, Arizona, do hereby recognize Payson Supply Line for their unselfish support of American troops in the field and proclaim:

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in the Town of Payson and urge all citizens to help Payson Supply Line in their mission to help and support our fighting men and women overseas.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Town of Payson, Arizona to be affixed this 22nd day of October, 2009.

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Kenny J. Evans, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Silvia Smith, Town Clerk

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