

# PROCLAMATION

*WHEREAS: Throughout history, America has counted on brave individuals willing to put on the uniform to protect our land and defend our way of life; and*

*WHEREAS: The men and women of the National Guard and Reserve have demonstrated the highest form of citizenship, and their service is vital to the security of our country and peace of the world; and*

*WHEREAS: The National Guard and Reserve are essential to the strength of our nation and the well-being of our communities; and*

*WHEREAS: The Town of Payson fully recognizes, honors and enforces the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act (USERRA); and*

*WHEREAS: Departments will have the tools they need to effectively manage those employees who serve in the Guard and Reserve; and*

*WHEREAS: The Town of Payson will continually recognize and support our country's service members and their families in peace, crisis and in war.*

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

*September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2011*

*AS*

## *EMPLOYER SUPPORT OF THE GUARD AND RESERVE WEEK*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Town of Payson, Arizona to be affixed this 8<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2011*

  
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*Kenny J. Evans, Mayor*

*Attest:*

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*Silvia Smith, Town Clerk*

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