

# PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS:** This marks the 132<sup>nd</sup> celebration of the Annual World's Oldest Continuous Rodeo; and

**WHEREAS:** Through the annual rodeo and other festive activities, the Payson Pro-Rodeo Committee will continue to strive to keep alive the old time spirit of independence, neighborliness and hearty enjoyment; and

**WHEREAS:** The Council joins the residents of Payson in proudly honoring our heritage and welcoming the challenge and excitement of the week long schedule of cowboy history and rodeo events;

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

August 18<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup>, 2016

AS

RODEO DAYS

*In Payson, and urge all residents to join in this 132<sup>nd</sup> year celebration by dressing in western style for the entire week, keeping with the old time spirit of adventure and daring that made Payson famous as the home of the World's Oldest Continuous Rodeo.*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Town of Payson, Arizona to be affixed this 4<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2016*

Attest:

Kenny J. Evans, Mayor

Sivola Smith, Town Clerk

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