



RECOGNIZING CALIFORNIA NATIVE AMERICAN DAY

WHEREAS, the City of Berkeley recognizes the importance of acknowledging and honoring the rich history, culture, and contributions of California Native Americans; and

WHEREAS, California Native American Day provides an opportunity to celebrate the heritage, traditions, and resilience of California Native American peoples; and

WHEREAS, educating the community about California Native American Day offers a chance to bring attention to the diverse California Native American cultures that have shaped our region and our state; and

WHEREAS, Berkeley acknowledges the significant contributions California Native American communities have made to our growth, development, and progress through their rich traditions, art, language, medicine, environmental stewardship, and more; and

WHEREAS, recognizing California Native American Day, which is celebrated each year on the fourth Friday of September, will foster a greater understanding and appreciation of the historical and contemporary issues faced by California Native American communities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Jesse Arreguín, Mayor of the City of Berkeley, do hereby declare September 22, 2023, to be

California Native American Day

in the City of Berkeley.

Jesse Arreguín
Mayor



September 22, 2023