City of Flagstaff – Office of the Mayor

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the United States is a maritime nation, and the United States Navy protects America at sea, defends our freedom of navigation, and safeguards the prosperity that flows from a secure global economy; and

WHEREAS, the United States Navy plays a vital role in ensuring the safety and security of critical resources and goods, including more than $44.4 billion in annual exports from the State of Arizona; and

WHEREAS, the Navy's global mission is supported by more than 4,900 active-duty Sailors, more than 2,000 Navy Reservists, and 8,370 active-duty and Reserve retirees who call Arizona home; and

WHEREAS, as the Nation celebrates its 250th anniversary in 2026, Navy Weeks across the country serve as symbolic stops on a celebratory "Road Trip to 250" across the United States to highlight the Navy's history, heritage, and continued commitment to defending freedom and supporting American communities; and

WHEREAS, Flagstaff has been selected to host Flagstaff Navy Week, one of only 12 cities nationwide to celebrate a Navy Week in 2026 and one of eight first-time Navy Week host communities, bringing Sailors, equipment, and interactive exhibits to Flagstaff for a series of performances, educational activities, community events, and service projects designed to give residents a firsthand look at the Navy's mission and the men and women who serve our nation around the world; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mayor Becky Daggett, Mayor of the City of Flagstaff, Arizona do hereby proclaim November 9th-16th, 2026 as

Flagstaff Navy Week

Becky Daggett

MAYOR

ATTEST:

Stacy Saltzburg

CITY CLERK