



Resolution

OFFICE OF THE
MAYOR
CITY OF SAN LUIS

No. 2235

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN LUIS, ARIZONA AMENDING SECTION HR-4-03(A) OF THE CITY OF SAN LUIS PERSONNEL POLICIES RELATING TO HOLIDAYS, RENAMING THE LAST MONDAY IN OCTOBER COVID-19 PANDEMIC REMEMBRANCE DAY.

WHEREAS, public servants, frontline workers, essential workers, and first responders selflessly and tirelessly continued throughout the COVID-19 pandemic, even when there were no treatments or vaccines to find ways to keep serving the San Luis community; and

WHEREAS, as the number of COVID-19 cases in Yuma County hit the first peaks, averaging over 200 cases per day in June and July of 2020, the city's employee for nearly 18 years, Chief Water Operator Miguel Gonzalez, passed away on July 29, 2020; and

WHEREAS, as the latest big surge in the number of COVID-19 cases in December 2021 and January 2022 due to the Omicron variant burgeoned to more than 2,550 new cases in a week in Yuma County, newly trained San Luis Firefighter Robert Fernandez, passed away on February 5, 2022.

WHEREAS, the precious lost lives and the courageous sacrifices made shall be remembered.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of San Luis, Arizona:

Section 1: A day of reflection on the COVID-19 pandemic shall be commemorated by the last Monday in October as COVID-19 Pandemic Remembrance Day.

Section 2: Section HR-4-03(A) of the City of San Luis Personnel Policies is deleted and replaced as follows:

HR-4-03 Holidays.

1. unless the Holiday falls on a Saturday, then the Holiday will be observed the Friday (or Thursday for those on a four, 10-hour a day work week) preceding the Saturday or
2. unless the Holiday falls on a Sunday, then the Holiday will be observed the following Monday.

The city observes 12 holidays as follows:

1.	January 1 st	"New Year's Day"
2.	3 rd Monday in January	"Martin Luther King, Jr. / Civil Rights Day"
3.	3 rd Monday in February	"Lincoln-Washington / Presidents' Day"
4.	March 31 st	"César Chávez Day"
5.	Last Monday in May	"Memorial Day"
6.	July 4 th	"Independence Day"
7.	1 st Monday in September	"Labor Day"
8.	2 nd Monday in October	"Columbus Day"
9.	Last Monday in October	"COVID-19 Pandemic Remembrance Day"
10.	November 11 th	"Veterans' Day"
11.	4 th Thursday in November	"Thanksgiving Day"
12.	December 25 th	"Christmas Day"

Section 3: City officers and employees are authorized and directed to perform all acts necessary or desirable to give effect to this Resolution No. 2235.

Section 4: If a conflict arises between the provisions of this Resolution No. 2235 and any other ordinance, resolution, regulation, or policy of the City of San Luis, the conflicting provisions are amended, superseded, and replaced, and this Resolution shall govern. Any conflicting provisions of Resolution 2179 and 2188 are repealed.

Section 5: If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence clause, phrase, or portion of this Resolution No. 2234 is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the final decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this Resolution No. 2235.

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PASSED, ADOPTED, and APPROVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of San Luis, Yuma County, Arizona, this ____ day of October 2022.

Gerardo Sanchez, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Sonia Cornelio, City Clerk

Kay Marion Macuil, City Attorney