



Armondo Pavone Mayor

Proclamation

Whereas, The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention estimates 37.3 million adults and children in the U.S. have diabetes and an estimated 96 million adults have prediabetes; and

Whereas, diabetes remains the seventh leading cause of death in the U.S.; and

Whereas, newly diagnosed cases of type 1 and type 2 diabetes have significantly increased among U.S. youth; and

Whereas, research shows that people at high risk for diabetes can lower their risk for type 2 diabetes by staying at a healthy weight, eating well, and being active; and

Whereas, uncontrolled diabetes puts people at risk for serious complications including cardiovascular disease, blindness, kidney disease and dialysis, and nerve damage and amputation; and

Whereas, learning how to self-manage this condition through diabetes self-management education is the cornerstone of treatment; and

Whereas, best practice guidelines to treat diabetes include but are not limited to insulin, oral medication, diet, physical activity, and daily self-management routines;

Now, therefore, I, Armondo Pavone, Mayor of the City of Renton, do hereby proclaim November 2022 to be

National Diabetes Month

in the City of Renton, and I encourage all residents to join me in this special observance.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Renton to be affixed this 7th day of November, 2022.



Armondo Pavone, Mayor
City of Renton, Washington

