

Proclamation



WHEREAS, conflict resolution encompasses mediation, arbitration, facilitation, collaborative decision-making and other formal and informal responses to differences; and

WHEREAS, conflict resolution processes empower individuals, families, communities, organizations, and businesses to foster communication and devise solutions that are acceptable to the needs and interests of all parties involved; and

WHEREAS, conflict resolution is being taught and practiced by citizens in many school systems, universities, and graduate programs throughout Colorado and the world as a way of solving disputes; and

WHEREAS, community-based programs fairly and equitably resolve neighborhood and community conflicts, thereby strengthening local relationships; and

WHEREAS, professional associations of conflict mediators promote peaceful and creative resolutions to disputes;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Arvada, Colorado, in recognition of the ongoing commitment to alternative means of conflict resolution now and in the future that October be designated as Conflict Resolution Month in 2012 and in perpetuity.

Dated this 17th day of September, 2012

Handwritten signature of Marc Williams in black ink.

Marc Williams, Mayor

Handwritten signature of Rachel Zenzinger in black ink.

Rachel Zenzinger, Mayor Pro Tem

Handwritten signature of Don Allard in black ink.

Don Allard, Councilmember

Handwritten signature of Shelley Cook in blue ink.

Shelley Cook, Councilmember

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Handwritten signature of Mark McGoff in blue ink.

Mark McGoff, Councilmember

