Mayor Jenny Wilson

SALT LAKE COUNTY

Proclamation

WHEREAS. Our County's success depends on making sure that all residents feel welcome here. Today, new residents are a vital part of our community — bringing fresh perspectives and new ideas, starting businesses, and contributing to the vibrant diversity that we all value; and

WHEREAS, today, more than ever, we see an increased need to welcome those fleeing conflict, oppression, and unrest in countries all over the world, especially those in Ukraine who are fleeing the crisis of war; and

WHEREAS, this week, we honor the spirit of unity that is bringing neighbors together across Salt Lake County. During Welcoming Week, we invite all of Salt Lake County to join this movement of communities nationwide by renewing our commitment to our core American values and by taking action in the spirit of welcoming. By working together, we can achieve greater prosperity and make our community the kind of place where diverse people from around the world feel valued and want to put down roots; and

WHEREAS, regardless of where we are born or what we look like, we are residents united in our efforts to build a stronger community. By recognizing the contributions that we all make to create a vibrant culture and a growing economy, we make our community more prosperous and more inclusive to all who call it home; and

WHEREAS, let us come together to build communities where every resident has the opportunity to contribute at his or her best. Let us come together to create more prosperous communities and to reaffirm that Salt Lake County, and the cities within it, still stands as a beacon of freedom and opportunity.

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Mayors of Salt Lake County, and cities throughout Salt Lake County, do hereby proclaim September 9, 2022 – September 18, 2022, as

Welcoming Week in Salt Lake County

and we call upon the residents of Salt Lake County to join together to build stronger communities.
Jennifer Wilson  
Salt Lake County Mayor

Mayor of Bluffdale

Mayor of Holladay

Mayor of Taylorsville

Mayor of Murray

Mayor of Draper

Mayor of West Jordan

Mayor of Brighton

Mayor of West Valley

Mayor of South Jordan

Mayor of Emigration

Mayor of Riverton

Mayor of Midvale

Mayor of Cottonwood Heights

Mayor of Herriman

Mayor of Magna

Mayor of Sandy

Mayor of South Salt Lake

Mayor of Salt Lake City

Mayor of Kearns

Mayor of Copperton

Mayor of Millcreek