

Office of the Mayor

Suisun City, California

Proclamation



WHEREAS, the City of Suisun City is committed to ensuring the safety and security of all those living in and visiting our city, and

WHEREAS, September is National Disaster Preparedness Month. This September, in addition to the ongoing disaster preparedness information we provide throughout the year. We want to stress the importance of planning **NOW**, because when a disaster strikes it's too late. The national theme is, "Don't Wait. Communicate. Make Your Emergency Plan Today"; and

WHEREAS, while many things compete for our attention and it may seem overwhelming or unimportant to get prepared, we know from experience that taking steps to prepare ahead of time can help you respond better and stay safer in an emergency; and

WHEREAS, the time and effort you invest now in preparing will help you and your family navigate through and recover more quickly from what may come our way at the most unexpected moment. The time to act is now, everyone should be prepared to survive for 72 hours before help arrives; and

WHEREAS, residents should take each week of this month to focus on emergency preparation and a different type of emergency.

- Week 1: September 1-5 Make Your Plan, Make Your Kit
- Week 2: September 6-12 Wildfire
- Week 3: September 13-19 Winter Storms and Flooding
- Week 4: September 14-26 Power Outage
- Week 5: September 27-30 Earthquake

WHEREAS, All residents should visit www.suisun.com for resources available on the Emergency Preparedness page.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, I Pete Sanchez, Mayor, do hereby proclaim September 2015 as:

"NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS MONTH"

in the City of Suisun City, and encourage all residents and businesses to develop their own emergency preparedness plan, and work together toward creating a more prepared society.

In witness whereof I have herunto set my hand and caused this seal to be affixed.

Pete Sanchez, Mayor

ATTEST: _____

DATE September 1, 2015