

*Office of the Mayor*  
Oro Valley, Arizona  
**Proclamation**

**AMERICAN DIABETES MONTH  
NOVEMBER 2015**

**WHEREAS**, in the United States, nearly 30 million people – including 692,311 people in Arizona – have diabetes, a serious disease with potentially life-threatening complications such as heart disease, stroke, blindness, kidney disease and amputation; and

**WHEREAS**, an additional 86 million people in the United States are at risk for developing type 2 diabetes; and

**WHEREAS**, recent estimates project that as many as one in three American adults will have diabetes by 2050 if current trends continue; and

**WHEREAS**, an increase in community awareness is necessary to put a stop to the diabetes epidemic.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Dr. Satish I. Hiremath, Mayor of Oro Valley, do hereby proclaim November 2015 to be American Diabetes Month in Oro Valley. I encourage all Americans to recognize American Diabetes Month and be part of the American Diabetes Association's Stop Diabetes movement to confront, fight and, most importantly, change the future of this deadly disease.

Dated this 4<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2015

ATTEST:

  
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Dr. Satish I. Hiremath, Mayor

  
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Julie K. Bower, Town Clerk

