

E. A resolution recognizing May 26, 2025 as Memorial Day in the City of Thornton, Colorado.

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

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| Meeting Date: May 13, 2025 | Agenda Item: 7{{ite m.number}} | Agenda Location: NS | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 st Reading <input type="checkbox"/> 2 nd Reading |
| Subject: A resolution recognizing May 26, 2025 as Memorial Day in the City of Thornton, Colorado. | | | |
| Department Head Review: City Council | | Approved by: Tansy Hayward, City Manager | Ordinance previously introduced by: _____ |
| Presenter(s): City Council | | | |

SYNOPSIS:

This resolution recognizes May 26, 2025 as Memorial Day.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of the resolution recognizing May 26, 2025 as Memorial Day.

BUDGET/STAFF IMPLICATIONS:

None.

ALTERNATIVES:

1. Approve the resolution as recommended.
2. Do not approve the resolution.

BACKGROUND (ANALYSIS/NEXT STEPS/HISTORY): (includes previous City Council action)

ATTACHMENTS:

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING MAY 26, 2025 AS MEMORIAL DAY IN THE CITY OF THORNTON, COLORADO.

WHEREAS, Memorial Day is a time of solemn remembrance and respect, dedicated to honoring and commemorating the brave men and women of the United States Armed Forces who have sacrificed their lives in service to our country; and

WHEREAS, Memorial Day serves as an opportunity for citizens to reflect upon the courage, selflessness, and commitment of our fallen heroes, and to express gratitude for their contributions to the freedoms and values that define our nation; and

WHEREAS, it is a day to unite in gratitude, to participate in activities such as flag raising ceremonies, moments of silence, and public gatherings, in recognition of the profound sacrifice made by our service members, and to remind us of the importance of ensuring that their service is never forgotten; and

WHEREAS, Memorial Day serves as a reminder of the enduring spirit of resilience and patriotism, and allows us to reflect on the freedoms we enjoy due to the sacrifices made by those who have given their lives in defense of our nation; and

WHEREAS, May 26, 2025, will be observed as Memorial Day, to honor and pay tribute to the men and women who have fallen in service to our country, and to remind the people of this community of the price of freedom and the duty to uphold the values for which these heroes fought.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF THORNTON, COLORADO, AS FOLLOWS:

The City Council hereby recognizes May 26, 2025 as Memorial Day and urges all citizens to observe this day in honor of the men and women who have made the ultimate sacrifice in the service of our country. We encourage all to participate in local ceremonies, educational programs, and moments of reflection that recognize the significance of this day.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Thornton, Colorado, on _____, 2025.

CITY OF THORNTON, COLORADO

Jan Kulmann, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kristen N. Rosenbaum, City Clerk