

City of Grand Junction, State of Colorado

Proclamation

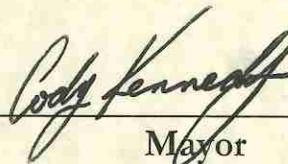
- Whereas,** agriculture remains a foundational part of the economy and identity of Grand Junction and Mesa County; and
- Whereas,** farmworkers have played an important role in supporting local agriculture through their hard work, skill, and dedication; and
- Whereas,** many families in our community have longstanding ties to agriculture, contributing across generations to the strength and stability of our local food systems; and
- Whereas,** recognizing the contributions of those who work in agriculture reflects our community's respect for honest work, responsibility, and service; and
- Whereas,** we will also keep up our efforts to reform our nation's broken immigration system so more people can contribute to our country's success; and
- Whereas,** celebrating this heritage provides an opportunity to acknowledge the people and traditions that continue to shape our region;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Cody Kennedy, by the power vested in me as Mayor of the City of Grand Junction, do hereby proclaim March 28, 2026 as

"Farmworker and Agricultural Heritage Day"

in the City of Grand Junction and invite our community to encourage and recognize the role agriculture plays in our region and to appreciate the contributions of those who support it.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official Seal of the City of Grand Junction to be affixed this 27th day of March, 2026.



Mayor

