

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, cardiovascular disease is a significant threat to the health and wellbeing of citizens of Artesia and all Americans; and

WHEREAS a lowered incidence of heart disease and stroke would improve the quality of life of individuals and contribute to the health and vitality of the community; and

WHEREAS, the American Heart Association is dedicated to fighting heart disease and stroke, with the aim of reducing disability and deaths caused by cardiovascular disease; and

WHEREAS, efforts of the American Heart Association require funding, and the required funds come from events organized by volunteers; and

WHEREAS, volunteers at Artesia General Hospital have organized a Heart Walk to raise funds for the American Heart Association, with said walk to take place on September 16, 2023, at 8 a.m. beginning and ending at Artesia General Hospital.

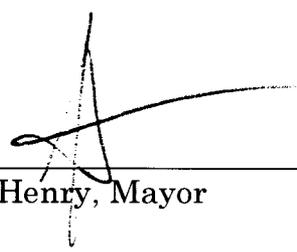
NOW THEREFORE, in recognition of the efforts of volunteers at Artesia General Hospital and the work of the American Heart Association, I, Jon Henry, Mayor of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, do hereby proclaim the 16th of September 2023 as:

ARTESIA HEART WALK DAY

and encourage all citizens of Artesia to increase their awareness of the risk factors and symptoms related to heart disease and make healthy lifestyle choices.

WITNESS my hand on this 22nd day of August 2023.





Jon Henry, Mayor