



Proclamation

WORLD ALZHEIMER'S AWARENESS MONTH

September 2023

WHEREAS, the Nation, State of California, and City of Westminster observe World Alzheimer's Month during the month of September; and

WHEREAS, Alzheimer's disease, a progressive neurodegenerative brain disorder, tragically robs individuals of their moments and leads to progressive mental and physical impairments; and

WHEREAS, more than 164,000 residents in Orange County and over 6 million Americans are currently living with Alzheimer's disease; and

WHEREAS, Alzheimer's disease and related dementias can seriously affect a person's ability to carry out daily activities; and

WHEREAS, Alzheimer's disease is the third leading cause of death in Orange County; and

WHEREAS, the World Alzheimer's Month 2023 campaign is "Never too early, never too late" which focuses on identifying risk factors and adopting risk reduction; and

WHEREAS, the mission of Alzheimer's Orange County is to provide hands-on care and support, information, referrals, education, and resources for families in Orange County and surrounding areas who experience memory loss, Alzheimer's, and other dementias.

NOW, THEREFORE I, Chi Charlie Nguyen, Mayor of the City of Westminster, on behalf of Vice Mayor NamQuan Nguyen, and Council Members Amy Phan West, Carlos Manzo, and Kimberly Ho do hereby proclaim September 2023 as **WORLD ALZHEIMER'S AWARENESS MONTH** in the City of Westminster and encourage all residents to learn and participate in activities that help to raise awareness and knowledge about the Alzheimer's disease to take better care of ourselves and our loved ones.

Signed and Dated this 13th day of September 2023 by the City Council.

Chi Charlie Nguyen, Mayor

NamQuan Nguyen, Vice Mayor, District 4

Amy Phan West, Council Member, District 1

Carlos Manzo, Council Member, District 2

Kimberly Ho, Council Member, District 3