



City of Pittsburg

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Proclamation

**CESAR CHAVEZ DAY
MARCH 31, 2024**

WHEREAS, Cesar Chavez Day is celebrated to honor the enduring legacy of the American labor rights hero. On March 31, union members and community leaders come together to celebrate his life and take inspiration from his selfless service to the farm workers of the United States; and

WHEREAS, through his persistent efforts and non-violent protests, Cesar Chavez became America's lightning rod as the cofounder of the National Farm Worker's Association; and

WHEREAS, his work in civil rights involved creating community service organizations that functioned to protect the rights of farm workers; and

WHEREAS, he is remembered as a visionary for his achievements and aspirational ambitions for fighting for the needs of others; and

WHEREAS, he lived and died in the service of his community. His lifelong struggle for labor rights enlightened a generation of Americans to fight for better working conditions.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Juan Antonio Banales, on behalf of the City Council of the City of Pittsburg, do hereby proclaim March 31, 2024 as Cesar Chavez Day in the City of Pittsburg.



Juan Antonio Banales, Mayor

ATTEST:

Alice E. Evenson, City Clerk

ATTEST: March 18, 2024