



Proclamation No. 25-0071

Congratulating the Denver St. Patrick's Day Parade Committee on the Occasion of the 63rd Anniversary of the Annual Parade on March 15, 2025

WHEREAS, Denver has one of the largest cultural parades in the United States and the largest St. Patrick's Day parade west of the Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, the 2025 theme is centered around "Mile High Shamrocks and Shenanigans" and honors the 63rd anniversary of the parade; and

WHEREAS, the Denver St. Patrick's Day Parade exemplifies a peaceful celebration along with a community of diverse citizens who gather together with a glance at the Celtic past and a look to the future while enjoying Irish cultural fanfare, pipe and drum bands, Irish step dancing, and honoring all divisions of our military to the delight of over 200,000 spectators; and

WHEREAS, we congratulate and thank all volunteers of the Denver St. Patrick's Day Parade Committee, including those who have passed on but are still remembered, for their endless hours and never-ending commitment which makes this celebration possible; and

WHEREAS, we hope the Colorado sun and the Mile High air lifts the spirits of all who march or attend the 63rd Annual Parade, Saturday, March 15, 2025, and we hope for a warm wind at our backs as we celebrate the Irish culture in the great state of Colorado.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE DENVER CITY COUNCIL:

Section 1. That the Denver City Council hereby congratulates the Denver St. Patrick's Day Committee, a volunteer organization, on a well-organized, peaceful and spirited gathering at the 63rd annual event.

Section 2. That the Clerk and Recorder of the City and County of Denver shall affix the seal of the City and County of Denver to this proclamation and that a copy be transmitted to the Denver St. Patrick's Day Parade Committee President Dave Anderson.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL March 3, 2025

PRESIDENT

