

PROCLAMATION



City and County of Denver

PROCLAMATION NO. 20-1017

RECOGNIZING THE EXTRAORDINARY CAREER AND RETIREMENT OF AUDREY MANZANARES

WHEREAS, since 1868, through multiple eras of innovation and intentional planning, design and policy, a rich legacy of parks and open space has been shaped in Denver; and

WHEREAS, Denver Parks and Recreation supports the physical and mental health of resident by maintaining over 250 parks and providing activities in over 30 recreation centers accessible to people of all ages and abilities; and

WHEREAS, for over 33 years, Audrey Manzanares helped Denver Parks and Recreation fulfill its mission to provide dynamic, innovative programs and safe beautiful spaces to Denver residents; and

WHEREAS, Audrey served as a “jack-of-all-trades” who was versatile and open to learning new things, and was able to work hard and have fun at the same time; and

WHEREAS, Audrey coached numerous young athletes to many victories during her years of service. It was not about the wins, for Audrey it was always about the hard work and dedication the kids put into their practices and the learned skills that made them into champions. She enjoyed seeing the many beneficial results of coaching; and

WHEREAS, Audrey served ten different communities in ten different recreation centers over her 33 years of service.

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

Section 1. That the Denver City Council recognizes and honors the dedicated service of Audrey Manzanares to the residents of the City and County of Denver.

Section 2. That the Clerk of the City and County of Denver shall attest and affix the seal of the City and County of Denver to this proclamation and that a copy be transmitted to Audrey Manzanares.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL September 21, 2020

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Saie Gilmore".

COUNCIL PRESIDENT