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INDIGENIOUS PEOPLES DAY

As the President of The People of The Sacred Land, I am writing to support establishing the Indigenous Peoples Day by the City and County of Denver.

This is an excellent opportunity to recognize the First People of Denver. It is significant for me as it was the home of two of my great-great grandfathers. Our family had winter camps on Cherry Creek for many years, dating back to the 1830s.

It is a very special and Sacred place for our People. The confluence of the Cherry Creek and the South Platte Rivers served as a major trade area. Denver and the surrounding areas have been the center of the west for over 11,000 years. Thank you for this recognition and honoring

In a good way,

Rick Williams
People of the Sacred Land

