

ARROWHEAD LITTLE LEAGUE ALL-STAR TEAM

WHEREAS, on July 31, 2009, the Arrowhead Little League All-Star Team won the 2009 Arizona State Little League Baseball Championship; and

WHEREAS, this team from Glendale, which featured thirteen 12- and 13-year-old boys from 10 different teams that made up the Arrowhead Little League Major Division, qualified for the state championship tournament for the third consecutive year by going undefeated and winning all six games in the Little League District 2 tournament; and

WHEREAS, the Arrowhead All Stars faced tough competition in July at the 11-day Arizona State Little League Baseball Tournament at Rio Vista Park in Peoria, which featured the top teams from throughout the state; and

WHEREAS, the Arrowhead All Stars advanced to the championship after winning their semi-final game against the Yuma Little League team by a score of 11 to 1. And, in the championship game, the Arrowhead All Stars defeated the Canyon Del Oro team from Tucson 12 to 2 to win their second consecutive state championship; and

WHEREAS, as state champions, the Arrowhead All Stars represented Arizona at the West Regional Little League Tournament that was held in San Bernardino, California in early August; and

WHEREAS, Team Manager Lance Billingsley and Assistant Coaches Jerry Rochon and Chris Burk are to be applauded for their commitment to guiding this group of fine young men to the highest level possible.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Elaine M. Scruggs, Mayor of the City of Glendale, Arizona, on behalf of the City Council, do hereby express appreciation for the significant accomplishments achieved by the Arrowhead Little League All-Star Team and also our gratitude for the pride and recognition they have brought to themselves and the City of Glendale.

In Witness Thereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 22nd day of September 2009.