## CITY OF NAPA PROCLAMATION

## National Pedestrian Safety Month October 2025

- WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Transportation's National Highway Traffic Safety Administration recognizes October as "National Pedestrian Safety Month"; and
- **WHEREAS**, on average a pedestrian was killed every 72 minutes and injured every 8 minutes in traffic collisions nationwide in 2023; and
- **WHEREAS,** the City of Napa General Plan Transportation Element identifies a policy to work towards safer streets to reduce and eventually eliminate fatal and severe injury collisions among vehicles, pedestrians, and bicyclists; and
- **WHEREAS**, pedestrian transportation is an integral part of the multi-modal transportation system planned by federal, state, regional and local government agencies, and pedestrian safety is an essential part of every roadway safety plan; and
- **WHEREAS**, walking supports personal, physical, and environmental benefits such as increased health and fitness, reduced traffic congestion, and can foster vibrant and livable streets; and
- **WHEREAS**, City Council has identified Roads and Traffic Safety as a City Council priority, and supports the Countywide Vision Zero goal of eliminating traffic collisions resulting in severe injuries or fatalities in Napa County by 2030; and
- **WHEREAS**, the City of Napa urges drivers to look for pedestrians, slow down, and incorporate pedestrian awareness into their driving routines, and encourages everyone to rededicate themselves to enjoying the benefits of walking and ensuring the safety of pedestrians in our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Scott Sedgley, Mayor of the City of Napa, along with the Napa City Council, do hereby proclaim October 2025 as National Pedestrian Safety Month in the City of Napa.

Dated: October 21, 2025	
SCOTT SEDGLEY, MAYOR	
CITY OF NAPA	