

**DESIGNATION OF AMERICAN INDIAN
HERITAGE MONTH AND AN INDIGENOUS
PEOPLE DAY**

2004 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

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LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill modifies state affairs in general to address commemorative days and months.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ designates the Monday preceding Thanksgiving as Indigenous People Day;
- ▶ designates November as American Indian Heritage Month; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

Monies Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

63-13-5.6, as enacted by Chapter 174, Laws of Utah 2001

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **63-13-5.6** is amended to read:

63-13-5.6. Commemorative days -- Commemorative months.

(1) The following days shall be commemorated yearly on the designated calendar date:

~~(1)~~ (a) Bill of Rights Day, December 15; ~~and~~

~~(2)~~ (b) Constitution Day, September 17~~[-]~~; and

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(c) Indigenous People Day, the Monday immediately preceding Thanksgiving.

(2) The month of November shall be commemorated yearly as American Indian Heritage Month.