

GANG AWARENESS ~~§~~→ [DAY] WEEK ←~~§~~

2019 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Karen Mayne

House Sponsor: _____

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill designates Gang Awareness Day.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ designates Gang Awareness ~~§~~→ [Day] Week ←~~§~~ ;
- ▶ reorganizes commemorative days and periods chronologically; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

63G-1-401, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2018, Chapter 39

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

Section 1. Section **63G-1-401** is amended to read:

63G-1-401. Commemorative periods.

(1) The following days shall be commemorated annually:

~~[(a) Bill of Rights Day, on December 15;]~~

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28 ~~[(b) Constitution Day, on September 17;]~~

29 ~~[(c) Yellow Ribbon Day, on the third Monday in May, in honor of men and women~~
 30 ~~who are serving or have served in the United States Armed Forces around the world in defense~~
 31 ~~of freedom;]~~

32 ~~[(d) POW/MIA Recognition Day, on the third Friday in September;]~~

33 ~~[(e) Indigenous People Day, on the Monday immediately preceding Thanksgiving;]~~

34 ~~[(f) Utah State Flag Day, on March 9;]~~

35 ~~[(g) Vietnam Veterans Recognition Day, on March 29;]~~

36 ~~[(h)] (a) Utah History Day at the Capitol, on the Friday immediately following the~~
 37 ~~fourth Monday in January, to encourage citizens of the state, including students, to participate~~
 38 ~~in activities that recognize Utah's history; [and]~~

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40 (c) Vietnam Veterans Recognition Day, on March 29;

41 (d) Yellow Ribbon Day, on the third Monday in May, in honor of men and women who
 42 are serving or have served in the United States Armed Forces around the world in defense of
 43 freedom;

44 ~~[(i)] (e) Juneteenth Freedom Day, on the third Saturday in June, in honor of Union~~
 45 ~~General Gordon Granger proclaiming the freedom of all slaves on June 19, 1865, in Galveston,~~
 46 ~~Texas;~~

47 ~~[(j)] (f) Arthrogryposis Multiplex Congenita Awareness Day, on June 30; [and]~~

48 ~~[(k)] (g) Rachael Runyan/Missing and Exploited Children's Day, on August 26, the~~
 49 ~~anniversary of the day three-year-old Rachael Runyan was kidnaped from a playground in~~
 50 ~~Sunset, Utah, to:~~

51 ~~(i) encourage individuals to make child safety a priority;~~

52 ~~(ii) remember the importance of continued efforts to reunite missing children with their~~
 53 ~~families; and~~

54 ~~(iii) honor Rachael Runyan and all Utah children who have been abducted or~~
 55 ~~exploited[-];~~

56 (h) Constitution Day, on September 17;

57 (i) Gang Awareness ~~Œ→ [Day] Week ←Œ~~, on the third ~~Œ→ [Monday] week ←Œ~~ in
 57a September;

58 (j) POW/MIA Recognition Day, on the third Friday in September;