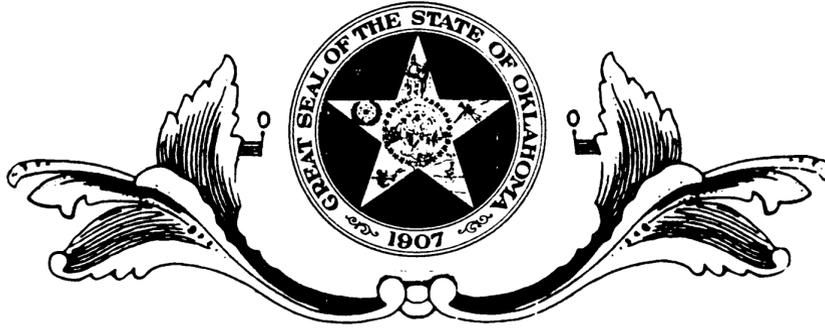


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## STATE OF OKLAHOMA



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

## Proclamation

**Whereas**, Sister Cities OKC and Scissortail Development Corporation, have partnered with Plaza Mayor at the Crossroads to host the Oklahoma City Cinco de Mayo celebration; and

**Whereas**, Cinco de Mayo celebrations take place every year in Mexico and around the world to commemorate the historic Battle of Puebla on May 5<sup>th</sup> of 1862, when against all odds, the Mexican Army defeated the occupying French forces; and

**Whereas**, dignitaries from Fort Loretto and Puebla will join the Oklahoma City celebration to help create the most official festival in the United States; and

**Whereas**, thousands of people are expected to attend and enjoy a true Mexican fiesta with music, dance, food, rodeo and culture; and

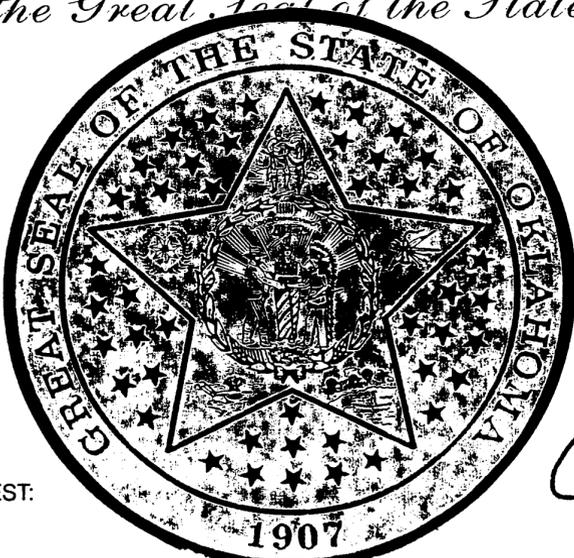
**Whereas**, Sister Cities of OKC is committed to building a strong economic and cultural relationship with our Sister City, Puebla;

**Now, therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor**, do hereby proclaim May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2015 as

**“Cinco de Mayo Celebration Day”**

in the state of Oklahoma.

*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed.*



ATTEST:

*Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of April, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and fifteen, and of the State of Oklahoma in the one hundred and seventh year.*

*C. Benze*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mary Fallin*  
GOVERNOR

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