



WHEREAS, September has been designated National Senior Center Month by the National Institute of Senior Centers; and

WHEREAS, National Senior Center month celebrates how senior centers contribute to the physical and social wellbeing of our community, deliver essential services to older adults, and provide a space where social engagement and meaningful activities, either in person and done virtually, can play an oversized role in combatting isolation amongst older adults; and

WHEREAS, the McKinney Senior Recreation Center and Senior Pool reopened on May 3, 2021 following the completion of a \$5-million facility renovation and expansion; and

WHEREAS, the McKinney Senior Recreation Center has registered more than 2,000 members since reopening and offers passive and active recreation opportunities that help build engagement and promote connections among adults 50 years of age and older in our community and beyond; and

WHEREAS, Members of the facility are not getting older, they are Aging to Perfection.

NOW, THEREFORE I, GEORGE FULLER, BY THE POWER VESTED IN ME AS MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2021 AS

NATIONAL SENIOR CENTER MONTH

IN MCKINNEY, TEXAS AND CALL UPON ALL RESIDENTS OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS TO RECOGNIZE THE MCKINNEY SENIOR RECREATION CENTER, ITS VOLUNTEERS AND STAFF WHO TREMENDOUSLY RESPECT AND VALUE THE IMPORTANCE OF QUALITY OF LIFE RECREATION FOR ALL SENIOR ADULTS IN OUR COMMUNITY.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL THIS THE 7TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2021.

GEORGE C. FULLER, Mayor

ATTEST:

EMPRESS DRANE, City Secretary