



City of McKinney

Proclamation

- WHEREAS, the week of April 1-6, 2013 has been designated as National Community Development Week to celebrate the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program, the HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) Program and to declare the month of April as National Fair Housing Month; and
WHEREAS, the CDBG Program provides annual funding and flexibility to the City of McKinney to impact greater opportunities for safe housing, a suitable living environment and economic opportunities principally for persons of low- and moderate-income people, including children, the homeless, the disabled and the elderly; and
WHEREAS, the HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) Program provides funding to create decent, safe, affordable housing opportunities for low-income persons; and
WHEREAS, the CDBG and HOME programs have developed a strong network of relationships between this local government, residents, businesses, and non-profit agencies that provide services and help make possible our commitment; and
WHEREAS, our community celebrates all efforts in Housing & Community Development, including Housing Rehabilitation, Public Services, Economic Development and most recently the Together We Serve Volunteer Led Initiative; and
WHEREAS, the City of McKinney will continue to address discrimination in our community, to support programs that will educate the public about the right to equal housing opportunities, and to plan partnership efforts with organizations to educate every citizen of their right to Fair Housing.

NOW, THEREFORE I, BRIAN LOUGHMILLER, BY THE POWER VESTED IN ME AS MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM APRIL 1-6, 2013 AS

NATIONAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT WEEK and the month of April as FAIR HOUSING MONTH

In McKinney Texas, in support of programs and activities that have made tremendous contributions to the viability of the housing stock, infrastructure, public services, and economic vitality in our community. I call upon all citizens and organizations to acquaint themselves with the role involved in providing quality housing and community development activities and recognize the contributions which community development officials, organizations, and residents make every day to improve our quality of life.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL THIS THE 26TH DAY OF MARCH, 2013.

ATTEST:

Sandy Hart, City Secretary

Brian Loughmiller, Mayor

