

- **WHEREAS**, The Salvation Army was founded in Great Britain in 1865 and in Texas in 1889, to provide humanitarian relief and spiritual guidance to people of all walks of life; and
- WHEREAS, The Salvation Army is an international movement, an evangelical part of the universal Christian church, with messages based on the Bible, a ministry motivated by the love of God, and mission to preach the Gospel of Jesus Christ and to meet the human needs in His name, without discrimination; and
- **WHEREAS**, with more people facing hardship this year, the need to serve those most vulnerable is greater than ever in McKinney, Texas. The Salvation Army in this city will provide Christmas assistance to individuals and families; and
- **WHEREAS**, for support of this cause, the distinguished Salvation Army Red Kettles will be located at grocery stores, retail stores and other locations throughout McKinney, Texas, to collect donations for those most vulnerable in McKinney.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE FULLER, MAYOR OF THE CITY MCKINNEY, BY THE VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME BY THE LAWS OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM NOVEMBER 19, 2024 AS THE OFFICIAL KICK-OFF FOR THE

SALVATION ARMY RED KETTLE CAMPAIGN

IN MCKINNEY, TEXAS, AND URGE THE CITIZENS OF MCKINNEY TO RECOGNIZE AND PARTICIPATE IN THE SALVATION ARMY RED KETTLE CAMPAIGN TO BE HELD IN OUR COMMUNITY.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL THIS THE 19TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2024.

GEORGE C. FULLER Mayor	
ATTEST:	
EMPRESS DRANE City Secretary	

City of McKinney, Texas