



WHEREAS, the City of McKinney is committed to recognizing that our growth and strength depends on the safety and role our homes, buildings and infrastructure play, both in everyday life and when disasters strike, and;

WHEREAS, our confidence in the resilience of these buildings that make up our community is achieved through the devotion of vigilant guardians – building safety and fire prevention officials, architects, engineers, builders, tradespeople, laborers, plumbers and others – who work to ensure safe building construction, and;

WHEREAS, these modern building codes include safeguards to protect the public from hurricanes, snowstorms, tornadoes, wildland fires, floods and earthquakes, and;

WHEREAS, Building Safety Month is sponsored by the International Code Council to remind the public about the critical role of our local code officials, who assure us of safe, sustainable, and affordable buildings that are essential to our prosperity, and;

WHEREAS, “Mission Possible,” the theme for Building Safety Month 2024, encourages us all to raise awareness about building safety on a personal, local, and global scale, and;

WHEREAS, each year, in observance of Building Safety Month, we are asked to consider the commitment to improve building safety, resilience and economic investment at home and in the community, and to acknowledge the essential service provided to all of us by local building departments and fire protection bureaus.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE C. FULLER, BY THE POWER VESTED IN ME AS THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE MONTH OF MAY 2024 AS

BUILDING SAFETY MONTH

IN THIS CITY, ENCOURAGING ALL RESIDENTS TO SUPPORT AND ACKNOWLEDGE THE ESSENTIAL SERVICE PROVIDED TO ALL OF US BY LOCAL BUILDING DEPARTMENTS AND FIRE PREVENTION BUREAUS IN PROTECTING LIVES AND PROPERTY.

GEORGE C. FULLER, Mayor

ATTEST:

EMPRESS DRANE, City Secretary