



- WHEREAS** Engineers use their scientific skills and specialized knowledge and skills in creative and innovative ways to fulfill society's needs; and
- WHEREAS** Engineers Week, founded in 1951 by the National Society of Professional Engineers and sponsored by more than 70 engineering, scientific and education societies, and major corporations, is dedicated to increasing public awareness and appreciation of engineering and to promote engineering as a career option; and
- WHEREAS** Engineers Week is committed to enriching a new generation of engineers to continue the tradition of the engineering profession to be socially responsible, using their technical expertise to provide remedies to present and further engineering challenges; and
- WHEREAS** Engineers Week focuses on the future and will bring initiatives that celebrate the engineering community and share its positive message around the world; and
- WHEREAS** Engineers Week supports student outreach by providing educational materials to more than 45,000 engineers who work with five and a half million students and teachers in elementary through secondary schools each year through classroom visits and extracurricular programs; and
- WHEREAS** Engineers Week global initiatives include encouraging all nations to seek the talents, viewpoints and intellects of women in engineering and related mathematics and science fields; and
- WHEREAS** Engineers Week recognizes the contributions of engineers around the world who are to be applauded for their dedication to improving our quality of life, for revolutionizing the way we learn, work and communicate, and for promoting a high standard of professional excellence.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BILL COX, BY THE POWER VESTED IN ME AS MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 22-28, 2026, AS

“ENGINEERS WEEK”

IN THE CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS AND ENCOURAGE THE APPROPRIATE RECOGNITION OF THE PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS WORKING AND LIVING IN OUR COMMUNITY.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL THIS THE 17TH DAY OF FEBRUARY 2026.

BILL COX, Mayor
GERÉ FELTUS, Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST:

EMPRESS DRANE, City Secretary
TENITRUS BETHEL, Deputy City Secretary