



WHEREAS, the City of McKinney, Texas, recognizes that Parks & Recreation programs and facilities are an important part of our community and communities across the United States; and

WHEREAS, Parks & Recreation programs and activities are vital to establishing and maintaining a high quality of life and contributes to the economic and environmental well-being of McKinney and the region; and

WHEREAS, McKinney Parks & Recreation offers a variety of opportunities designed for all ages and interests, including popular recreation, athletics, and aquatics programs, as well as special community events, arts and cultural activities, and volunteer opportunities; and

WHEREAS, Parks & Recreation experiences build family unity, strengthen neighborhood involvement, provide for social interaction, and promote cultural diversity; and

WHEREAS, Parks & Recreation increases McKinney's economic prosperity by supporting property values, expanding the local tax base, increasing tourism, and attracting and retaining of businesses; and

WHEREAS, each year since 1985, Americans have celebrated National Park & Recreation Month during the month of July to recognize the importance of parks and recreation to the overall well-being of communities across the country.

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

PARK & RECREATION MONTH

IN THE CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS, ENCOURAGING RESIDENTS AND VISITORS TO ENJOY USING THE PARKS, TRAILS, AND PROGRAMS THAT ENHANCE THE QUALITY OF LIFE IN OUR COMMUNITY.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL THIS 16TH DAY OF JULY, 2024.

GEORGE C. FULLER
Mayor

ATTEST:

TENITRUS BETHEL
Deputy City Secretary