

Proclamation

by the

Mayor of the City of Denton, Texas

To all to whom these presents shall come,

Greetings:

- WHEREAS,** parks and recreation promotes health and wellness, improving the physical and mental health of people who live near parks; and
- WHEREAS,** parks and recreation encourages physical activities by providing space for sports, hiking trails, swimming pools and many other activities designed to promote active lifestyles; and
- WHEREAS,** parks and recreation is a leading provider of healthy meals, nutrition services and education; and
- WHEREAS,** parks and recreation increases a community's economic prosperity through increased property values, expansion of the local tax base, increased tourism, the attraction and retention of businesses, and crime reduction; and
- WHEREAS,** our parks and natural recreation areas ensure the ecological beauty of our community and provide a place for children and adults to connect with nature and recreate outdoors.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Gerard Hudspeth, Mayor of the City of Denton, Texas, do hereby declare and proclaim July 2024 as

“PARKS AND RECREATION MONTH”

in the City of Denton and encourage all citizens to acknowledge the importance of parks and recreation and the benefits they provide our community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the City of Denton, Texas to be affixed this the 16th day of July 2024.




GERARD HUDSPETH, MAYOR

ATTEST:
LAUREN THODEN, CITY SECRETARY

BY: 