Proclamation

by the

Mayor of the City of Benton, Texas

To all to whom these presents shall come,

Greetings:

WHEREAS, National Volunteer Week was established by Presidential proclamation in 1974

to inspire, recognize, and encourage people to engage and serve in their

communities; and

WHEREAS, Denton Parks and Recreation and Keep Denton Beautiful engage volunteers

representative of the rich diversity of our community, "from children to older adults, life-long residents to college students," all who participate in service to

better our community; and

WHEREAS, more than 2,421 dedicated volunteers served 30,223 hours of their time and

talents with Denton Parks and Recreation and Keep Denton Beautiful in 2022;

and

WHEREAS, National Volunteer Week celebrates the impact of volunteer service and the

power of volunteers to tackle society's great challenges, to build stronger

communities and be a force that transforms the world.

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

proclaim this week of April 16-22, 2023 as

"NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK"

in the City of Denton and encourage citizens to join me in honoring and thanking all who volunteer.



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 week of April 18, 2023.

GERARD HUDSPETH, MAYOR

ATTEST:
JESUS SALAZAR. INTERIM CITY SECRETARY

BY.