Proclamation

by the

Mayor of the City of Denton, Texas

To all to whom these presents shall come,

Greetings:

WHEREAS, libraries provide opportunities to pursue passions and engage in lifelong

learning; and

WHEREAS, libraries have long served as trusted institutions, adapting to communities'

ever-changing needs by continually expanding their collections and services;

and

WHEREAS, libraries play a critical role in the economic vitality of communities by

providing internet and technology access, literacy skills, support for job

seekers, and small businesses; and

WHEREAS, libraries, librarians, library workers, and library supporters and advocates

across the nation join to celebrate National Library Week; and

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

proclaim this week of April 23-29, 2023 as

"NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK"

in the City of Denton and encourage all to visit their library to explore the wealth of resources available.



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: