

Proclamation

by the

Mayor of the City of Denton, Texas

To all to whom these presents shall come,

Greetings:

WHEREAS, the Compost Research & Education Foundation has declared the first full week of May to be the annual International Compost Awareness Week; and

WHEREAS, composting is an effective form of waste reduction, reuse and recycling; and since organic materials make up approximately 30% of the material going to landfills, composting assists in reaching waste diversion goals; and

WHEREAS, materials such as yard trimmings, vegetable cuttings, food scraps, biosolids, manures and hay shavings have all been composted and converted into a beneficial product known as compost; and

WHEREAS, communities can have significant impact on food shortages, clean water, soil, climate change and landfill diversion by using compost for public works projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Gerard Hudspeth, Mayor of the City of Denton, Texas, do hereby declare and proclaim this week of May 07-13, 2023 as

“INTERNATIONAL COMPOST AWARENESS WEEK”

in the City of Denton.



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 May 02, 2023.


GERARD HUDSPETH, MAYOR

ATTEST:
JESUS SALAZAR, INTERIM CITY SECRETARY

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