



City of McKinney Proclamation

WHEREAS, music is a vital part of our lives, and the performance of music is important to a community's social, cultural, historical and educational development; and

WHEREAS, the all-volunteer McKinney Community Band was formed by Bill Sleeper and Ed Schwarz in 2006 to provide an outlet for adult musicians in the McKinney area to share in the creation of music with each other with the purpose of enriching the community's understanding and appreciation of a wide range of music; and

WHEREAS, the McKinney Community Band first performed in McKinney on August 12, 2006, at the Ice Cream Crank-Off and since that time, has presented numerous concerts in various venues across the city, has more than doubled in membership and has created satellite groups – McKinney Dance Band and the McKinney Flute Choir – to further advance their goal of sharing music with the public; and

WHEREAS, it is the mission of the McKinney Community Band to provide free public concerts and special appearances as a service to the community in order to encourage and nurture the appreciation of the performing arts in McKinney.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN LOUGHMILLER, BY THE POWER VESTED IN ME AS MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM AUGUST 12, 2016 AS


"MCKINNEY COMMUNITY BAND DAY"

IN THE CITY OF MCKINNEY.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL THIS THE 10TH DAY OF JULY, 2016.

ATTEST:


Sandy Hart, City Secretary


Brian Loughmiller, Mayor

