



Proclamation

THE CITY OF

EULESS

Texas



Whereas: 175,421 investigations regarding reports of child abuse or neglect were reported in Texas in 2011, with 17,397 of those being completed in Tarrant County; and

WHEREAS, 5,888 cases of child abuse and neglect were confirmed in Tarrant County last year with 8 of those ending with a death of a child; and

WHEREAS, Alliance for Children provided child-focused services to 2,292 children in 2011; which includes 479 children in the Northeast Community; and

WHEREAS, Alliance for Children is celebrating 20 years of serving as Tarrant County's Child Advocacy Center in 2012. Effective child abuse prevention programs succeed because of partnerships among agencies, schools, religious organizations, law enforcement agencies, and the business community; and

WHEREAS, everyone in the community should become more aware of child abuse prevention and consider helping parents raise their children in a safe, nurturing environment.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mary Lib Saleh, Mayor of the City of Euless, Texas, do hereby proclaim the month of April 2012 as:

CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH

in the city of Euless, Texas, and urge all citizens to work together to help reduce child abuse and neglect significantly in the years to come.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do hereby set my hand and seal of the City of Euless to be affixed this 10th day of April 2012.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Mary Lib Saleh'.

Mary Lib Saleh, Mayor

