



Proclamation

THE CITY OF

EULESS

Texas



Whereas: in the United States, nearly 26 million people – including over **600,000** in **North Texas** (a rate of 9.7% of North Texans)– have diabetes, a serious disease with potentially life-threatening complications such as heart disease, stroke, blindness, kidney disease and amputation; and

WHEREAS, an additional 79 million people in the United States are at risk for developing type 2 diabetes; and

WHEREAS, recent estimates project that as many as one in three American adults will have diabetes in 2050 if current trends continue; and

WHEREAS, an increase in community awareness is necessary to put a stop to the diabetes epidemic;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mary Lib Saleh, Mayor of the City of Euless, do hereby proclaim November 2013 as:

AMERICAN DIABETES MONTH

in the City of Euless and I encourage all Americans to recognize American Diabetes Month and join the American Diabetes Association's Stop Diabetes® movement to confront, fight and most importantly, change the future of this deadly disease.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Euless, Tarrant County, Texas, to be affixed hereto, on this 22nd day of October, 2013.



Mary Lib Saleh

Mary Lib Saleh, Mayor