



Proclamation

THE CITY OF

EULESS

Texas



Whereas: Autism is a pervasive developmental disorder affecting the social, communication, and behavioral skills of those affected by it; and

WHEREAS, as more health professionals become proficient in diagnosing autism, more children are being diagnosed on the autism spectrum, resulting in rates as high as 1 in 68 children nationally; and

WHEREAS, while there is no cure for autism, it is well documented that if individuals with autism receive early and intensive treatment throughout their lives, they lead significantly improved lives; and

WHEREAS, individuals with autism often require a lifetime of specialized and community support services to ensure their health and safety and to support families' resilience as they manage the psychological and financial burdens autism can represent; and

WHEREAS, on April 2, 2015, the City of Euless supported Autism Speaks in celebration of "Light It Up Blue" in commemoration of the United Nations-sanctioned World Autism Awareness Day.

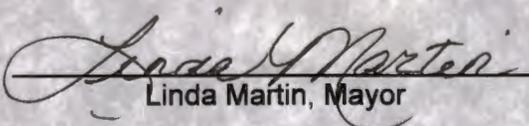
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Linda Martin, Mayor of the City of Euless, do hereby proclaim April 2015 as:

NATIONAL AUTISM AWARENESS MONTH

In the City of Euless and urge all employees and residents to participate in National Autism Awareness Month activities.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do hereby set my hand and seal of the City of Euless to be affixed this 14th day of April 2015.




Linda Martin, Mayor