

Proclamation

BY THE

City Council of the City of Lewisville

WHEREAS, parks and recreation is essential to the health, accessibility, sustainability, and quality of life in Lewisville and the City of Lewisville recognizes parks and recreation as critical infrastructure that strengthens resilience, builds connections, and inspires civic pride; and

WHEREAS, the Lewisville Parks and Recreation Department leads with innovation and access, transforming public spaces through initiatives such as the Healthy Infrastructure Plan, pollinator prairie conversions, inclusive programming, and environmentally sustainable practices; and

WHEREAS, the Lewisville Parks and Recreation Department enhances community wellness by offering access to fitness and nature by connecting 84% of residents to a park within a 10-minute walk of their homes, and enhancing engagement at facilities through programs that reflect the city's culture and diversity; and

WHEREAS, dedicated staff and volunteers contribute tens of thousands of hours annually to ensure everyone feels welcome and safe to gather, play, and grow.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TJ Gilmore, Mayor of the City of Lewisville, and on behalf of the Lewisville City Council, do hereby proclaim the month of **July, 2025** as:

PARKS AND RECREATION MONTH

In Lewisville, Texas and urge all residents to observe the occasion with appropriate ceremonies and activities.

TJ Gilmore, Mayor City of Lewisville