

Proclamation

BY THE

City Council of the City of Lewisville

WHEREAS, Polio remains a severe and potentially deadly disease that continues to endanger children in parts of Asia; and

WHEREAS, vaccination is crucial to prevent Polio infection, and global education and immunization programs have significantly reduced the incidence of the disease; and

WHEREAS, Rotarians from the Lewisville Morning and other area Rotary Clubs have supported the fight to eradicate polio since 1985 through donations and participation in overseas immunization efforts; and

WHEREAS, the Lewisville Morning and this other Rotary Clubs are joining Rotarians worldwide to raise \$50 million annually—matched 2-to-1 by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation—and will sponsor local activities during the week of October 19-25, 2025, to educate the public, promote polio awareness and raise funds for its eradication.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TJ Gilmore, Mayor of the City of Lewisville, Texas and on behalf of the Lewisville City Council, do hereby proclaim October 19-25, 2025 as:

END POLIO NOW WEEK

and Thursday, October 24, 2025 as:

END POLIO NOW DAY

In Lewisville, Texas and urge all residents to join the Lewisville area Rotary Clubs and their fellow residents in taking part in this special observance.