

# Proclamation

**Whereas**, energy efficiency is the art of getting the same or better performance using less energy – all while cutting utility bills for residential, business, and industrial customers; and

**Whereas**, cutting energy waste saves U.S. consumers billions of dollars on their utility bills annually, up to \$500 per household from appliance efficiency standards alone; and

**Whereas**, smarter energy use reduces the amount of electricity we need to power our lives, which helps avoid power plant emissions that can harm our health, pollute our air, and warm our climate; and

**Whereas**, a nationwide network of energy efficiency groups and partners has designated October 5th as the national annual Energy Efficiency Day; and

**Whereas**, the Lewisville 2025 plan's Big Move #9 (Sustainability) calls for the efficient use of limited resources such as land, water, energy, clean air, natural assets, and public funds to provide a desirable quality of life without reducing Lewisville's ability to provide the same quality of life for future generations of residents and businesses; and

**Whereas**, together the residents of Lewisville, Texas, can continue to contribute to our sustainability efforts by learning more about energy efficiency and practicing smarter energy use in their daily lives;

**Now, Therefore**, I, Rudy Durham, Mayor of Lewisville, Texas, and on behalf of the Lewisville City Council, do hereby proclaim October 5, 2018, as:

## **"ENERGY EFFICIENCY DAY"**

in Lewisville, Texas, and urge citizens to join us in supporting our clean energy goals and moving toward more energy efficiency now and in the future.

**Proclaimed** on this 1st day of October 2018.

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Rudy Durham, Mayor  
City of Lewisville