

Office of the Mayor



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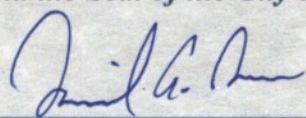
- WHEREAS,** *despite advances in medical technology and research, men continue to live an average of five years less than women with Native American and African-American men having the lowest life expectancy;*
- WHEREAS,** *educating the public and health care providers about the importance of a healthy lifestyle and early detection of male health problems will result in reducing rates of mortality from disease;*
- WHEREAS,** *men who are educated about the value of preventative health will be more likely to participate in health screenings;*
- WHEREAS,** *fathers who maintain a healthy lifestyle are role models for their children and have happier, healthier children;*
- WHEREAS,** *Men's Health Network worked with Congress to develop National Men's Health Week as a special campaign to help educate men and their families about the importance of positive health attitudes and preventative health practices;*
- WHEREAS,** *the Men's Health Week web site has been established at www.MensHealthWeek.org and features resources, proclamations, and information about awareness events and activities, including Wear Blue for Men's Health;*
- WHEREAS,** *the City of Temple Men's Health Week will focus on a broad range of men's health issues, including heart disease, mental health, diabetes, and prostate, testicular and colon cancer; and*
- WHEREAS,** *the citizens of this state are encouraged to increase awareness of the importance of a healthy lifestyle, regular exercise, and medical check-ups*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DANIEL A. DUNN, Mayor of the City of Temple, Texas, do hereby proclaim the Week of June 11-17, 2018, as

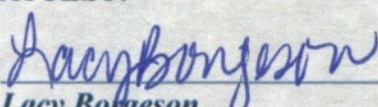
"MEN'S HEALTH WEEK"

in the City of Temple, Texas, and I encourage all citizens to pursue preventative health practices and early detection efforts.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I witness my hand and the Seal of the City of Temple, Texas, this the 29th day of March, 2018.


DANIEL A. DUNN, Mayor

ATTEST:


Lacy Borgeson
City Secretary

