

Proclamation

WHEREAS, September 17, 2015, marks the 228th anniversary of the drafting of the Constitution of the United States of America, which our Founders created to secure the blessings of liberty and prosperity for all citizens and their posterity; and

WHEREAS, The growth of our Nation and the safeguarding of its principles of justice and opportunity rest upon the laws of the Constitution of the United States; and

WHEREAS, In order to support, preserve and defend this great founding document, it is of the greatest importance that all citizens fully understand the provisions and principles contained within the Constitution; and

WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper to accord official recognition to this magnificent document and its memorable anniversary; and to the patriotic celebration which will commemorate the occasion; and

WHEREAS, Public Law 915 guarantees the issuing of a proclamation each year by the President of the United States of America designating September 17 through 23 as Constitution Week.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, W. Jeff Williams, Mayor of the City of Arlington, Texas, and on behalf of the Arlington City Council, do hereby proclaim September 17-23, 2015 as

CONSTITUTION WEEK

and ask our citizens to reaffirm the ideals of the framers of the constitution had in 1787 by vigilantly protecting the freedoms guaranteed to us through this guardian of our liberties, remembering that lost rights may never be regained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City to be affixed this 15th day of September in the year of Our Lord two thousand and fifteen.


MAYOR

