

HUNGER AND HOMELESSNESS AWARENESS WEEK NOVEMBER 13 – 21, 2021

WHEREAS, each year the week before Thanksgiving is recognized as Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week, a time to encourage the public to take action on the issues of hunger and homelessness; and

WHEREAS, in 2001, the Interagency Council on Homelessness issued a call for cities and counties throughout the United States to develop plans to end homelessness, and shortly thereafter the Collin County Homeless Coalition was formed to raise awareness and unite the community in addressing the problem; and

WHEREAS, this period will highlight the difficulty and loneliness of those without a home and living in poverty, and inspire residents to help, including volunteering in Plano's Annual Homeless Census; and

WHEREAS, the Annual Homeless Census will take place in Plano on January 27, 2022, and residents are encouraged to participate by collecting care packages and volunteering their time on the night of the Homeless Census;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN B. MUNS, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF PLANO, TEXAS, do hereby proclaim November 13 - 21, 2021 as Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week in Plano; and I do thereby encourage all citizens to join me and the Plano City Council in looking for ways to aid those experiencing hunger and homelessness.



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