## OFFICE OF THE MAYOR / CITY OF DALLAS



**WHEREAS**, the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program has existed since 1975 to provide local governments with the resources to develop viable urban communities by providing decent affordable housing, creating suitable living environments, and expanding economic opportunities, principally for persons of low and moderate income; and

**WHEREAS,** over the past three years, our community has received a total of \$44,335,700 in CDBG formula grant funds and has funded a variety of projects that have directly benefited our residents and neighborhoods; and

**WHEREAS**, The City of Dallas recognizes the beneficial impact of CDBG, and HOME program funds used by the City and local community-based organizations in addressing important neighborhood and human service needs, such as housing rehabilitation, homebuyer assistance programs, infrastructure, community court, childcare, after school program, and Fair Housing; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Dallas recognizes the dedication and commitment of the Community Development Commission members, community organizations, non-profit organizations, and City of Dallas staff for their dedicated service; and

**WHEREAS**, the week of April 10 - 14, 2023 has been designated as National Community Development Week to celebrate the CDBG Grant Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ERIC JOHNSON, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF DALLAS, do hereby proclaim April 10-14, 2023, as

## **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT WEEK**

in Dallas, Texas, and urge all residents to join us in recognizing Community Development Programs and the important role they play in our community.

Mayor, the City of Dallas