



WHEREAS, persons with an autism spectrum disorder are a vital part of our community and we want to ensure they are well supported in their lives;

WHEREAS, Grand County is honored to join with the Utah and World Autism Awareness Day in the Spirit of Autism and Autism Awareness Month;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the County of Grand County is hereby recognizing Autism Awareness Month in the Spirit of Autism and Autism Awareness Month, as well as to increase knowledge of autism spectrum disorders and autism spectrum disorders by making people with autism with autism spectrum disorders.

BE IT FURTHER PROCLAIMED that April 2, 2017 is Autism Awareness Day in the Spirit of Autism and Autism Awareness Month in the County of Grand County with the following: (1) Grand County has the honor to...

State of Texas *
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County of Comal *

Proclamation

Recognizing April 2017 as Autism Awareness Month and April 2, 2017 as Autism Awareness Day in Comal County

WHEREAS, autism spectrum disorders are a broad range of conditions characterized by challenges with social skills, repetitive behaviors, and speech and nonverbal communication; and

WHEREAS, autism spectrum disorders affect at least one in sixty-eight children and an unknown number of adults in the United States regardless of gender, race, ethnicity, or socioeconomic background; and

WHEREAS, early, accurate diagnosis and appropriate education, intervention, and therapy are vital to the well-being of those with autism spectrum disorders; and

WHEREAS, persons with an autism spectrum disorder should have access to the care, services, and opportunities they need to be happy and to achieve their greatest potential; and

WHEREAS, Comal County is honored to take part in the annual observance of World Autism Month and World Autism Awareness Day in the hope that it will lead to more research and better understanding and acceptance of autism spectrum disorder.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Comal County Commissioners Court does hereby recognize April 2017 as Autism Awareness Month to raise public acceptance and understanding of autism spectrum disorder, as well as to increase knowledge of the efforts that have been and are being made to support individuals with autism spectrum disorder and their families.

BE IT FURTHER PROCLAIMED that April 2, 2017 is recognized as Autism Awareness Day in Comal County with the bell tower lights tinted blue for the weekend of April 2nd to promote awareness.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 30th day of March, 2017.


Sherman Krause, County Judge


Donna Eccleston, Commissioner Pct. 1


Scott Haag, Commissioner Pct. 2


Kevin Webb, Commissioner Pct. 3


Jen Crownover, Commissioner Pct. 4

Attest: 
Bobbie Koepf, County Clerk

