



WHEREAS, about 1.000 Texas children  
WHEREAS, communities need more ways to  
help all kids, the health children and their families  
WHEREAS, effective child-care programs are  
essential to the economic strength of our state  
WHEREAS, we agree in the community should be  
encouraged and encouraged parents to raise their children  
WHEREAS, the State of Texas should be helping  
parents in which they have been helping  
WHEREAS, on Dec. 8 the community will  
present to which they have been helping  
THE LEGISLATURE, BE IT ENACTED  
and acting in the presence of the  
December 8, 2017, at 10:00 AM, Santa Fe, New Mexico  
of the event and the results of the same. 2017. Santa Fe, New Mexico

State of Texas \*  
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County of Comal \*

# Proclamation

## Recognizing December 9, 2017 as SJRC Texas Jingle Bell Run Day in Comal County


WHEREAS, more than 58,000 victims of child abuse and neglect were confirmed in Texas in 2016; and  
WHEREAS, about 5,395 Texas children live in foster care; and  
WHEREAS, communities must make every effort to promote programs, such as SJRC Texas and the Jingle Bell Run, that benefit children and their families; and  
WHEREAS, effective child-abuse prevention and child-welfare organizations such as SJRC Texas succeed because of partnerships among agencies, schools and school districts such as Comal ISD; and  
WHEREAS, everyone in the community should become more aware of child-abuse prevention and child welfare and encourage parents to raise their children in a safe, nurturing environment; and  
WHEREAS, SJRC Texas assists in stopping child abuse and neglect, and organizes the Jingle Bell run to help aid the mission and spread the message of preventing such abuse and neglect; and  
WHEREAS, on Dec. 9 the community will celebrate the 25<sup>th</sup> annual Jingle Bell Run and the close to 30 years in which SJRC Texas has been helping children.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Comal County Commissioners Court, duly convened and acting in its capacity as the governing body of Comal County, does hereby proclaim December 9, 2017, as SJRC Texas Jingle Bell Run Day in Comal County, and does celebrate the 25 years of the event and the nearly 30 years SJRC Texas has been helping children to heal.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this the 7<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2017.

  
Sherman Krause, County Judge

  
Donna Eccleston, Commissioner Pct. 1

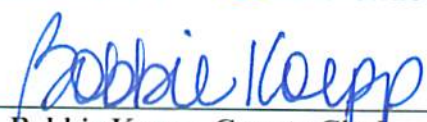
  
Scott Haag, Commissioner Pct. 2

  
Kevin Webb, Commissioner Pct. 3

  
Jen Crownover, Commissioner Pct. 4



Attest:

  
Bobbie Koeppe, County Clerk