



**PROCLAMATION
OF THE CITY OF DRIPPING SPRINGS
RECOGNIZING THE SERVICE AND CONTRIBUTIONS
OF CITY TREASURER GINA GILLIS AND
PROCLAIMING MAY 13, 2021 AS**

“Gina Gillis Day”

WHEREAS, Gina Gillis was appointed City Treasurer on July 10, 2007;

WHEREAS, Gina has displayed an exceptional professional ability as City Treasurer during her tenure with the City and has been highly instrumental in the city’s responsible fiscal management;

WHEREAS, Gina guided the City through enormous financial growth, beginning with around \$1.2 million in consolidated general fund revenues in Fiscal Year 2007, to this year’s budget of approximately \$8.1 million in consolidated general revenues;

WHEREAS, Gina has guided the City through: the issuance of bonds; the management of Economic Development and Strategic Partnership Agreements; the financing of many capital improvement projects, including the construction of the Dripping Springs Ranch Park and Event Center, the expansion of the wastewater treatment plant and collection system, and the Mercer Street Improvement Project; the creation of two Tax Increment Reinvestment Zones; the growth of a City Staff consisting of five regular employees to the now current forty regular employees; and the conversion of the City’s accounting system to Incode;

WHEREAS, Gina has always ensured that the city’s finances were being carefully managed, keeping expenses in check and the city in the black;

WHEREAS, Gina has implemented numerous improved financial policies and procedures for the City; and

WHEREAS, Gina Gillis retired on May 11th after 13 years and 10 months of dedicated and faithful service to the City of Dripping Springs.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the City Council of the City of Dripping Springs, Texas, on this, the 11th day of May 2021, that:

1. May 13, 2021 shall hereafter be known as “Gina Gillis Day” in Dripping Springs, Hays County, Texas.
2. The City Council is proud to recognize and congratulate Gina Gillis on her retirement and we appreciate and thank her for her dedication and untiring excellent efforts in guiding the City’s finance program during her tenure.
3. We call upon the community to recognize Gina Gillis for her service and contributions, and we wish her a long, happy, and healthy retirement.

Bill Foulds, Jr., Mayor

Todd Purcell, Old Mayor