



## PROCLAMATION

**Whereas,** The World Health Organization defines adolescence as ages 10 to 24 and this unique stage of human development is an important time for laying the foundations of good health; and

**Whereas,** Youth have a special role in our society as future leaders, and adults have the responsibility to support and partner with them so that they have the resources that they need to flourish. When young people have equitable resources and tools, they can make informed decisions about their health and wellbeing, including mental and reproductive health; and

**Whereas,** International Adolescent Health Week, celebrated annually in March, is a grass-roots initiative wherein young people, as well as their families, schools, communities, healthcare providers, and other advocates come together with the ultimate goal of working collectively towards improving the health and well-being of the over 1 billion adolescents across the globe today; and

**Whereas,** International Adolescent Health Week is March 20-26, 2022, and multiple organizations, individuals, families, adolescents and young adults will participate in the global recognition of International Adolescent Health Week.

**NOW THEREFORE,** I, Dr. Christopher Harvey, Mayor of the City of Manor, Texas, and on behalf of the Manor City Council, do hereby proclaim March 20-26, 2022, as:

### ***“International Adolescent Health Week”***

in the City of Manor, Texas.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Manor to be affixed this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March 2022.

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Dr. Christopher Harvey, Mayor  
City of Manor