



## **PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, mentoring is a proven and effective strategy that helps children and young adults by matching them with caring and responsible adults who can provide guidance and direction, and build their confidence; and

WHEREAS, mentors build character, encourage success, boost confidence, lift expectations, and inspire young people to do their best, serving as friends, role models, teachers, and sources of stability and support during a critical time in a child's life; and

**WHEREAS**, mentoring strengthens our communities' social well-being by helping young people fulfill their potential while helping maintain healthy families and promoting more vibrant communities.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I Dr. Christopher Harvey, Mayor of the City of Manor, Texas, and on behalf of the Manor City Council, do hereby proclaim the month of January as:

## "National Mentor Month"

in the City of Manor and encourage citizens to increase their understanding and awareness on the importance of mentoring and to consider how they might use their time and talents to help transform the lives of our children.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Manor to be affixed this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February 2022.

Dr. Christopher Harvey, Mayor City of Manor