

Proclamation

City of Mission



WHEREAS, each day thousands of working families across the United States achieve the American Dream of owning a home of their own; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mission has always been a proud and strong supporter of homeownership, which has positive impacts on family, neighborhoods, and the community; and

WHEREAS, Affordable Homes of South Texas, Inc. in partnership with the City of Mission has developed Speedy Trails Subdivision, in honor of fallen Mission police officer CPL. Jose "Speedy" Espericueta, Jr., focused on affordable homeownership opportunities; and

WHEREAS, in celebration of 50 Years of Community Development Block Grant Program, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) recognized the City of Mission for Community Engagement in the development of the Speed Trails Subdivision;

WHEREAS, June also marks the 48th anniversary of Affordable Homes of South Texas' founding whose purpose is to create and support successful homeownership opportunities for families; and

WHEREAS, Affordable Homes of South Texas is also celebrating the 26th anniversary of their Homebuyer's Fair, an annual free event focused on homeownership. The event will be held this Saturday, June 15th at the McAllen Convention Center; and

WHEREAS, Affordable Homes in conjunction with the City of Mission as proud proponents of homeownership will join with communities across the United States to recognize the month of June as National Homeownership Month;

NOW THEREFORE, we the City Council of the City of Mission, do hereby proclaim the month of June 2024 as:

"NATIONAL HOMEOWNERSHIP MONTH"

PROCLAIMED on this the 10th day of June, 2024.

Norie Gonzalez Garza, Mayor

Jessica Ortega, Councilwoman

Ruben Plata, Mayor Pro Tem

Marissa Ortega Gerlach, Councilwoman

Alberto Vela, Councilman