

Proclamation

City of Mission



WHEREAS, the area that someone lives in plays a significant role in their overall health and well-being; and

WHEREAS, surroundings can impact if, how, and when a person's needs are met, which in turn affects mental health; and

WHEREAS, with early and effective interventions, those individuals with mental health conditions can recover and lead full, productive lives; and

WHEREAS, having safe, stable, and healthy home conditions set the foundation for achieving and maintaining good mental health; and

WHEREAS, each business, school, government agency, health care provider, organization, and citizen share the burden of mental health problems and has a responsibility to promote mental wellness and support prevention efforts.

NOW THEREFORE, we the City Council of the City of Mission do hereby proclaim May 2023 as Mental Health Month in the city and call upon citizens, government agencies, public and private institutions, businesses, and schools in the city to recommit our community to increasing awareness and understanding of mental health, and invite the community to the City of Mission and E3Hope Foundation "Drive out the Darkness" Mental Health Awareness event being held on May 23, 2023 at 7 p.m. at the Mission Event Center.

PROCLAIMED on this the 8th day of May, 2023

Norie Gonzalez Garza, Mayor

Jessica Ortega, Councilwoman

Ruben Plata, Mayor Pro Tem

Abiel Flores, Councilman

Alberto Vela, Councilman