

Fort Bend County Commissioner's Court

Proclamation



Whereas, Memorial Day is the day that we pause to actively remember the heroes; our family members, loved ones, neighbors, and friends who have fallen while defending our freedom and liberty; and

Whereas, this is the day that Americans reconnect with their history by honoring those who gave their lives for the ideals that we cherish; and

Whereas, Memorial Day is not to honor war, but to honor those who sacrificed to protect our great nation; and

Whereas, we give thanks on Memorial Day that we live in a free nation by honoring those who gave their lives to preserve that blessing; and

Whereas, we honor and recognize these men and women for their values, selfless service, integrity, and courage; but most importantly, we honor these people for their willingness to put themselves in harm's way for us and all we hold dear; and

Whereas, today in America, we are privileged to enjoy the blessings of democracy and freedom, earned in great part by the sacrifice of those we honor today.

NOW, THEREFORE, The Commissioners' Court of Fort Bend County, Texas salutes all who have fallen in defense of liberty, and express our sincere appreciation for their contributions to our great nation and proclaim Monday, May 25, 2020 as Memorial Day in Fort Bend County, Texas

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WHEREAS, Fort Bend County Emergency Medical Services (FBCEMS) is a vital service which has provided over 47 years of dedicated service to the Fort Bend County community; and

WHEREAS, FBCEMS has grown to fill a gap by providing important, out of hospital care, including preventive medicine, follow-up care, and access to telemedicine, have made significant contributions and immeasurable sacrifices during our Nation's response to the coronavirus pandemic by answering the call to serve in an exemplary manner throughout the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, Emergency medical systems consist of first responders, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, emergency medical dispatchers, firefighters, police officers, educators, administrators, pre-hospital nurses, emergency nurses, volunteers, emergency physicians, trained members of the public, and other out of hospital medical care providers; and

WHEREAS, It is appropriate to recognize the value and the accomplishments of emergency medical services providers by designating Emergency Medical Services Week.

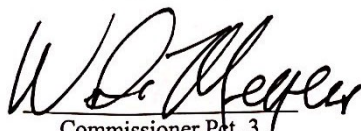
NOW, THEREFORE, The Commissioners' Court of Fort Bend County, Texas do hereby proclaim the week of May 17-23, 2020, as

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK

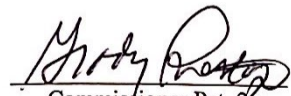
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WHEREAS, Fort Bend County has always stood on ideals of togetherness and mutual progress. Muslims have been our longstanding partners both economically and socially. Their contributions have made us a more advanced, equitable, and diverse society. These members of our society make our community better as they invent and expand opportunities for their families. Their culture, language, and contributions have deeply enriched the American experience; and

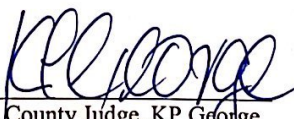
WHEREAS, Fort Bend County recognizes the end of the Muslim Holy month of Ramadan, commending a month of fasting and spiritual renewal concluding with Eid-ul-Fitr, festival of breaking the fast, which is observed by approximately 1.8 billion Muslims worldwide.


WHEREAS, Eid-ul-Fitr begins each year with the sighting of the new moon. This festival is a day when Muslims show gratitude to God while celebrating the end of Ramadan.

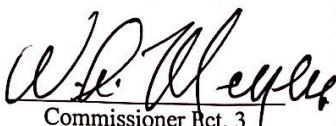
WHEREAS, Internationally, Muslims use "Eid Mubarak" as a greeting on the festival of Eid. Eid means "celebration", and Mubarak means "blessings".

WHEREAS, Muslims have shared their rich culture and traditions with neighbors and friends, while also setting fine example of model citizens and public servants.

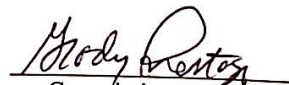
NOW, THEREFORE, The Commissioners' Court of Fort Bend County, Texas declares May 24, 2020 as **EID UL FITR** in Fort Bend County, Texas


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