



WHEREAS, Theatre education enriches the lives of countless students in our schools and allows them to discover their myriad skills and abilities in leadership, communication, and collaboration, and unlocks the unlimited potential of the student; and,

WHEREAS, Theatre is a critical component of the learning process and develops students' creativity, self-discipline, problem solving, and critical-thinking abilities; and,

WHEREAS, Research indicates that students with more theatre education have higher academic achievement across the curriculum; the importance of theatre education is recognized as being necessary for the full development of all students; and,

WHEREAS, Theatre in Our Schools Month is a special opportunity for our community to engage in the ongoing process of theatre education and to bring a heightened awareness of the importance of the arts in education.

NOW THEREFORE:

The City of Fort Worth does hereby recognize and proclaim March of 2021 as:

THEATRE IN OUR SCHOOLS MONTH

in the City of Fort Worth.

IN TESTIMONY, WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and caused the Official Seal of the City of Fort Worth, Texas to be affixed this 1^{st} day of March, A.D., 2021.

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