

WHEREAS, hunger and poverty are issues of vital concern in North Texas where one in six people face hunger and one in every four children do not know where their next meal will come from; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mansfield, Texas is committed to taking steps to combat hunger in every part of our community and to provide additional resources that those in our city need; and

WHEREAS, approximately half a million individuals living across the Tarrant Area face food insecurity and rely on food resources and services provided by the Tarrant Area Food Bank annually; and

WHEREAS, the month of September has been designated “Hunger Action Month” to bring attention to food insecurity in our communities and to enlist the public in the work of ending hunger; and

WHEREAS, food banks across the country, including the Tarrant Area Food Bank – will host numerous events throughout the month of September to bring awareness to hunger-issues and increase public action to end hunger in our local community;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Michael Evans, Mayor of the City of Mansfield, Texas, **hereby recognize September 2022, as**

HUNGER ACTION MONTH

in our city and call this observance to the attention of our residents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do hereby set my hand and cause the official seal of the City of Mansfield to be affixed this 26TH day of September, 2022.