## MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION DECLARING THE WEEK OF APRIL 10-16, 2011 AS NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK IN THE CITY OF PFLUGERVILLE

**WHEREAS**, the entire community can inspire, equip and mobilize people to take action that changes the world; and

**WHEREAS**, volunteers can connect with local community service opportunities through hundreds of organizations such as schools, local government, churches, youth sports organizations, civic and non-profit organizations; and

**WHEREAS,** individuals and communities are at the center of social change and discovering their power to make a difference; and

**WHEREAS,** during this week all over the nation, service projects will be performed and volunteers recognized for their commitment to service; and

WHEREAS, the giving of oneself in service to another empowers the giver and the recipient; and

**WHEREAS**, experience teaches us that government by itself cannot solve all of our nation's social problems; and

WHEREAS, our country's volunteer force of over 63 million is a great treasure; and

**WHEREAS**, volunteers are vital to our future as a caring and productive nation;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, Jeff Coleman, Mayor of Pflugerville, do hereby declare the week of April 10-16, 2011 as National Volunteer Week and call upon all citizens to seek opportunities to volunteer in our community and to take time this week to recognize, honor and thank the volunteers that touch our lives each day.

In Witness Thereof, I cause the Official Seal of the City of Pflugerville to be affixed this 12<sup>th</sup> day of April 2011.

Jeff Coleman, Mayor
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Attest:
Karen Thompson, City Secretary