## MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION DECLARING AIR QUALITY AWARENESS WEEK IN THE CITY OF PFLUGERVILLE MAY 2-MAY 6, 2022

WHEREAS, air pollution can threaten our environment, economy and the health of our residents; and

WHEREAS, air pollution levels in Central Texas were considered "moderate" or worse on thirty-six percent of days in 2021, according to the National Air Quality Index; and

WHEREAS, children, older adults, and people with lung and heart disease are particularly affected by poor air quality and represent about two out of every five residents in Central Texas; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Pflugerville supports public awareness about the quality of local and regional air quality and steps that members of our community can take to reduce their exposure to air pollution and to reduce the emissions that contribute to poor air quality in the region; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Pflugerville is a member of the Central Texas Clean Air Coalition of the Capital Area Council of Governments (CAPCOG) and supports the Coalition's efforts to promote regional air quality.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Victor Gonzales, Mayor of the City of Pflugerville, Texas, do hereby proclaim May 2 to May 6, 2022 as Air Quality Awareness Week and encourage our residents and employees to educate themselves about air quality and to promote air quality and air quality awareness within the community.

In Witness Thereof, I cause the Official Seal of the City of Pflugerville to be affixed this 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 2022.

Victor Gonzales, Mayor	
Attest:	
Trista Evans, City Secretary	