

**MAYORS PROCLAMATION
DECLARING MAY 6-12, 2013
CELEBRATION OF TEXAS
STEM EDUCATION WEEK**

WHEREAS, strong Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) educational programs are vital to the intellectual and economic future of the state of Texas and further, the United States of America ; and

WHEREAS, Texas STEM academies, schools and businesses have made strong efforts in working to close the disparity between the number of STEM field college graduates and the number of skilled workers needed in STEM industry; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Rick Perry, Governor of Texas, has issued a statewide proclamation declaring the week of May 6 – 12th as “Celebration of STEM Education Week in Texas” in recognition of the importance of STEM education and to highlight the work currently being done by STEM academies, schools and businesses; and

WHEREAS, “Celebration of STEM Education Week in Texas” is the first such statewide collaborative project of its kind, with an aim to involve as many STEM-centered organizations, businesses and educational institutions in cities and municipalities across the state;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that, I, Mayor Jeff Coleman, do hereby proclaim **MAY 6-12, 2013 AS CELEBRATION OF TEXAS STEM EDUCATION WEEK** in the City of Pflugerville, Texas.

In Witness Thereof, I cause the Official Seal of the City of Pflugerville to be affixed this 10th day of April, 2013.

Jeff Coleman, Mayor

Attest:

Karen Thompson, City Secretary