

ARBOR DAY  
PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, in 1972, J. Sterling Morton proposed to the Nebraska Board of Agriculture that a special day be set aside for the planting of trees; and

WHEREAS, this holiday, called Arbor Day, was first observed with the planting of more than a million trees in Nebraska; and

WHEREAS, trees can reduce the erosion of our precious topsoil by wind and water, cut heating and cooling costs, moderate the temperature, clean the air, produce life-giving oxygen, and provide habitat for wildlife; and

WHEREAS, trees in our city increase property values, enhance the economic vitality of business areas, and beautify our community; and

WHEREAS, the Keep League city Beautiful Committee has recommended that September 18, 2021, be recognized as Arbor Day for the city of League City.

NOW, THEREFORE, I Pat Hallisey, by virtue of the authority vested in me as the 10<sup>th</sup> Mayor of the city of League City do hereby proclaim the 18<sup>th</sup> of September 2021 to

“Arbor Day”

In the great City of League City.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of League City, Texas, to be affixed on this the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_ 2021.

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Pat Hallisey, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Diana M. Stapp, City Secretary