

State of Texas \*  
County of Comal \*

# Proclamation

## Recognizing May 2016 as Older Americans Month

**WHEREAS**, Comal County, and the Alamo Area Agency on Aging represents a community of 27,596 age 60 or older Americans who deserve recognition for their contributions to our nation; and

**WHEREAS**, Comal County recognizes that older adults are trailblazers—advocating for themselves, their peers, and their communities—paving the way for future generations; and

**WHEREAS**, Comal County is committed to raising awareness about issues facing older Americans and helping all individuals to thrive in communities of their choice for as long as possible; and

**WHEREAS**, Comal County appreciates the value of inclusion and support in helping older adults successfully contribute to and benefit from their communities; and

**WHEREAS**, Comal County provides opportunities to enrich the lives of individuals of all ages by:

- Promoting and engaging in activity, wellness, and social involvement;
- Emphasizing home and community-based services that support independent living; and
- Ensuring community members can benefit from the contributions of older adults.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Comal County Commissioners Court, duly convened and acting in its capacity as the governing body of Comal County, does hereby proclaim May 2016 to be Older Americans Month. Comal County urges every resident to take time this month to acknowledge our older adults and the people who serve them as powerful and vital individuals who greatly contribute to our community.

**PASSED AND APPROVED on this 28<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2016.**

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**Sherman Krause, County Judge**

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**Donna Eccleston, Commissioner Pct. 1**

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**Scott Haag, Commissioner Pct. 2**

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**Kevin Webb, Commissioner Pct. 3**

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**Jen Crownover, Commissioner Pct. 4**

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
**Bobbie Koepp, County Clerk**