

State of Texas *
*
County of Comal *

Proclamation

NAMING SEPTEMBER 2014 AS "EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS MONTH" IN COMAL COUNTY

WHEREAS, 480 people die and another 2,880 are injured in disasters every year in the United States, and thousands lose their livelihoods and jobs; and

WHEREAS, In the wake of September 11, 2001, our nation faces continuing concerns about the possibility of terror attacks endangering our lives and our way of life; and

WHEREAS, Preparation can help individuals and families to be more self-sufficient in times of disaster, minimizing their own discomfort and fears and minimizing their need for emergency services; and

WHEREAS, Disaster preparedness is vitally important to ensure the well-being of individuals, families, businesses and the well-being of the state of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the United States of America has taken appropriate measures to ensure the safety of its residents in the aftermath of the September 11th attacks; and

WHEREAS, Comal County and the Alamo Area Council of Governments (AACOG) has formed valuable financial and programmatic relationships with its partner jurisdictions to further Regional Homeland Security; and

WHEREAS, all residents in Comal County should be made aware of the need to practice vigilance and be prepared for any hazard;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Commissioners' Court of Comal County, duly convened and acting in its capacity as the governing body of Comal County, does hereby proclaim the month of September 2014 as "Emergency Preparedness Month" in Comal County and call upon all citizens to actively participate in Homeland Security Preparation and Defense.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 11th day of September, 2014.

Absent

Sherman Krause, County Judge

Donna Eccleston

Donna Eccleston, Commissioner Pct 1
Acting County Judge

Scott Haag

Scott Haag, Commissioner Pct 2

Kevin Webb

Kevin Webb, Commissioner Pct 3

Absent

Jan Kennady, Commissioner Pct 4



Joy Streater

Joy Streater, County Clerk