

Proclamation

**RECOGNIZING GARY LANGE, PASTOR OF PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
NEW BRAUNFELS, TEXAS**

WHEREAS, Gary Lange grew up in Brenham, Texas, and graduated from Brenham High School in 1972; and

WHEREAS, Gary Lange completed his baccalaureate degree from Texas Lutheran College in 1976; and

WHEREAS, Gary Lange entered seminary at Wartburg Theological Seminary in Dubuque Iowa, completing his Masters of Divinity degree in 1980 after completing a successful one year internship at Elk Point, South Dakota; and

WHEREAS, Gary Lange was ordained as a Lutheran Pastor in 1980 at Zionsville Lutheran Church Brenham, Texas, where he was baptized and confirmed; and

WHEREAS, Pastor Gary Lange has served congregations in Walburg, San Antonio, Hondo, and New Braunfels, Texas; and

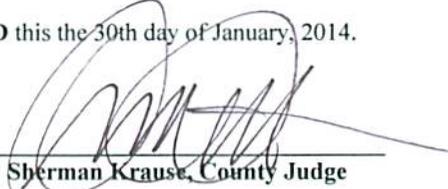
WHEREAS, Pastor Lange will complete more than 15 years of ministry at Peace Lutheran New Braunfels on January 31, 2014; and

WHEREAS, Pastor Lange will complete 34 years of faithful and Christ-centered ministry on January 31, 2014.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Commissioners Court of Comal County and the members of Peace Lutheran Church recognize and thank Pastor Lange for his dedicated ministry to church and community, and

FURTHERMORE, join with the members of his ministry in Walburg, San Antonio, Hondo and the Southwestern Texas Synod, to congratulate Pastor Lange at his retirement from active ministry on January 31, 2014.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 30th day of January, 2014.


Sherman Krause, County Judge


Donna Eccleston, Commissioner Pct 1


Scott Haag, Commissioner Pct 2


Kevin Webb, Commissioner Pct 3


Jan Kennedy, Commissioner Pct 4

Attest:


Joy Streater, County Clerk