

*A Proclamation Honoring the
Cesar Chavez & Dolores Huerta Committee of Tarrant County on the
occasion
of its 25th Anniversary*

WHEREAS, the Cesar Chavez & Dolores Huerta Committee of Tarrant County officially formed in 2000 to commemorate the life work of Cesar Chavez and Dolores Huerta, founders of what is now the [United Farm Workers](#) (UFW); and

WHEREAS, the Committee celebrated its 25th Anniversary on March 29, 2025 with a March for Justice at General Worth Square in Fort Worth; and

WHEREAS, since its founding, the Committee has kept alive and relevant the memories of Mr. Chavez and Ms. Huerta by successfully advocating to name public buildings and public streets after the nation's most recognized labor organizers; and

WHEREAS, this advocacy includes urging Fort Worth Independent School District to become the first district in Texas to honor Dolores Huerta and Cesar Chavez with a holiday which, since 2019, has been observed on the last Monday in March of each year; and

WHEREAS, the advocacy also includes successfully petitioning the City of Fort Worth and the Texas Department of Transportation to rename portions of State Highway 183 in North Fort Worth after Ms. Huerta and Mr. Chavez; and

WHEREAS, this month, the City of Fort Worth honored the Committee for its work in raising awareness of the contributions Dolores Huerta and Cesar Chavez to the City and the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Commissioners Court of Tarrant County congratulates the Cesar Chavez & Dolores Huerta Committee of Tarrant County for 25 years of advocacy to preserve the legacies of two of America's most effective advocates for the rights of farm workers, immigrants and women.

WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and caused the seal of Tarrant County to be affixed this 3rd day of April 2025.