

PROCLAMATION

Children's Environmental Health Day

WHEREAS, Children's Environmental Health (CEH) Day was established in 2016 by the Children's Environmental Health Network to raise awareness about the significance of clean air and water, safe food, healthy environments, and stable climates for children's health and development; and

WHEREAS, CEH Day is observed on the second Thursday in October as a means to celebrate the progress of the children's environmental health movement and create a strong network of child health advocates; and

WHEREAS, this national initiative encourages individuals and organizations to promote awareness and understanding of children's environmental health issues, advocate for improved protections for all children, and engage in acts of sustainability or environmental health wellness; and

WHEREAS, Tarrant County recognizes the need to protect the health, safety, and well-being of our most precious resource: children; and

WHEREAS, together, we can safeguard the health, safety, and well-being of our children;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the Commissioners Court of Tarrant County do hereby proclaim Thursday, October 10, 2024, as **Children's Environmental Health Day** in Tarrant County and urge all citizens to observe this day with awareness-raising and environmental health and stewardship activities to create a healthier environment for our children.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of Tarrant County to be affixed this 15th day of October 2024.