



**CITY OF
WYLIE**

Proclamation

Whereas, our society has become increasingly dependent on household chemicals for convenience and medicines to provide health benefits; and

Whereas, these products, when not used as intended or directed, may be hazardous, particularly to children; and

Whereas, over the past 53 years, the nation has observed Poison Prevention Week to call attention to these hazards, their proper handling and disposal, and safe packaging; and

Whereas, the efforts of poison prevention awareness have reduced childhood poisoning in Wylie, Texas; and

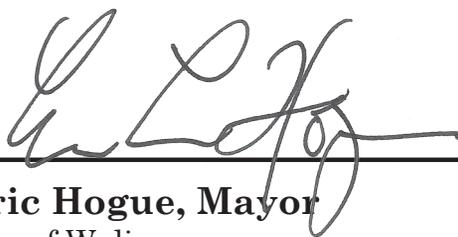
Whereas, the North Texas Poison Center provides the ultimate in human service programming and immediate emergency information to save lives of victims of poison-related emergencies; and

Whereas, these programs must continue as long as even one child swallows a household product or medicine by mistake.

Now therefore, I, Eric Hogue, Mayor of the City of Wylie, Texas, on behalf of the City of Wylie City Council and Citizens of Wylie, am honored to hereby proclaim the 15th of March 2015 through the 21st of March 2015 as,

“Poison Prevention Week”

in Wylie, Texas, and encourage all citizens to be aware of the danger of misusing medicines and household products and to promote effective safeguards against accidental poisonings among young children.



Eric Hogue, Mayor
City of Wylie
State of Texas