

**Whereas,** the City of Wylie and Wylie Fire-Rescue are committed to ensuring the safety and security of all Wylie citizens; and

**Whereas,** home fires are a serious public safety concern with more than 370,000 residential fires reported annually killing more than 2,500 people in the United States; and

**Whereas,** working smoke alarms cut the risk of dying in a home fire in half; and

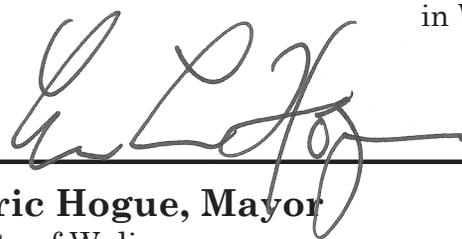
**Whereas,** the City of Wylie is dedicated to reducing the occurrence of home fires and home fire injuries through prevention and protection education, including the free inspection and installation of residential smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors, and interactive presentations to elementary school students throughout the Wylie Independent School District; and

**Whereas,** the Mayor, the City Council of the City of Wylie, and Wylie Fire-Rescue urge all citizens to be aware of the dangers of home fires and encourage all citizens to take protective and preventative measures in their homes including the use of working smoke and carbon monoxide detectors and the planning and practice of a home escape plan.

**Now therefore, I, Eric Hogue,** Mayor of the City of Wylie, Texas, on this the 23rd day of September 2014, am honored to hereby proclaim the 5th day of October 2014, through the 11th day of October 2014, as,

### **“Fire Prevention Week”**

in Wylie, Texas.



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**Eric Hogue, Mayor**  
City of Wylie  
State of Texas