Whereas, Crystal City, Texas, is honoring the memory of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. by holding its first-ever Crystal City Martin Luther King, Jr., Celebration; and

Whereas, Dr. King devoted his life to the advancement of civil rights and public service and believed in a nation of freedom and justice for all, challenging all citizens to help build a more perfect union and live up to the purpose and potential of America; and

Whereas, Dr. King encouraged all Americans to serve their neighbors and their communities; and

Whereas, Dr. King drew inspiration from his strong faith and is widely regarded as America’s pre-eminent advocate of nonviolence and one of the greatest nonviolent leaders in world history; and

Whereas, the City of Wylie embraces diversity and supports those who would advance the cause of peace and human rights.

Now therefore, I, Eric Hogue, Mayor of the City of Wylie, Texas, on behalf of the Wylie City Council and the Citizens of Wylie, am honored to join Crystal City in proclaiming the 19th day of January 2015, as

“Martin Luther King, Jr. Day”

in the City of Wylie, Texas, and urge citizens to honor the memory of Dr. King and put his teachings into action by participating in the King Day of Service and finding ways to give back to their communities on this day and throughout the year.

Eric Hogue, Mayor
City of Wylie
State of Texas