

PROCLAMATION

City of Keller

- WHEREAS, America's progress has been driven by pioneers who think big, take risks and work hard; and*
- WHEREAS, from the storefront shops that anchor Main Street to the high-tech startups that keep America on the cutting edge, small businesses are the backbone of our economy and the cornerstones of our nation's promise; and*
- WHEREAS, small business owners and Main Street businesses have energy and a passion for what they do; and*
- WHEREAS, when we support small business and marketplace trust, we create a community of trustworthy businesses and set standards for marketplace trust; and*
- WHEREAS, because this country's 28 million small businesses create nearly two out of three jobs in our economy, we cannot resolve ourselves to create jobs and spur economic growth in America without discussing ways to support our entrepreneurs; and*
- WHEREAS, National Small Business Week has been celebrated every year since 1963 to highlight the programs and services available to entrepreneurs through government agencies and non-government agencies like our Better Business Bureau, the leaders in advancing marketplace trust; and*
- WHEREAS, the City of Keller supports and joins with Better Business Bureau in this national effort to help America's small businesses by encouraging best business practices and celebrating marketplace role models so that small business owners can continue to do what they do best, create jobs, help our economy and ensure that our communities remain as vibrant tomorrow as they are today.*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Pat McGrail, Mayor of the City of Keller, Texas, and on behalf of our City Council and citizens, do hereby proclaim the week of May 5th through May 11th as

"Small Business Week 2019"

in the City of Keller, Texas, and call upon the citizens of Keller to joint their fellow citizens across the United States in supporting this observance.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Keller, Texas, to be affixed on this the 16th day of April 2019.

P.H. McGrail, Mayor
City of Keller