

**HEALTHY BABY & CHILD EXPO  
PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, the Healthy Baby and Child Expo is a two day event which will take place at the McAllen Convention Center on April 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>.

**WHEREAS**, the purpose of the expo is to partner with public and private community businesses. Examples: H-E-B, Mission Regional Medical Center, Rio Grande Regional Hospital, and the Texas Vaccines for Children Program.

**WHEREAS**, the support for this event is a natural extension of each partnering company's commitment to the community we serve as an effort to build healthy families.

**WHEREAS**, the expo offers parents the unique opportunity to learn about baby & child safety and nutritional products from our community businesses in a fun, family atmosphere.

**WHEREAS**, Hidalgo County Health & Human Services Department will educate the community with proper baby & child nutrition, prenatal care, and the importance of vaccinating their children in a timely manner.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HIDALGO COUNTY** do hereby proclaim this as the official event that will help recognize the importance of promoting health awareness to the community in Hidalgo County.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, we have hereunto set our hands on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of April 2008.

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County Judge

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