

State of Texas
County of Williamson
Know all men by these presents:

That on the 17th day of May, 2016 the Commissioners Court of Williamson County, Texas met in duly called session at the Williamson County Courthouse, 710 Main Street, Georgetown, Texas, with the following members present:

Dan A. Gattis, County Judge
Lisa L. Birkman, Commissioner Precinct One
Cynthia P. Long, Commissioner Precinct Two
Valerie Covey, Commissioner Precinct Three
Ron Morrison, Commissioner Precinct Four

And at said meeting, among other business, the Court considered the following:

WHEREAS, the ten-county Capital Area Council of Governments (CAPCOG) region is home to more than 322,462 citizens aged 60 years or older, with approximately 87,496 of those living in Williamson County in 2016 and the number of seniors in 2025 projected to be 159,857; and

WHEREAS, the projected growth of the over 60 population is expected to double from 322,362 in 2015 to 630,215 in 2030 and the 85+ age group will also increase, with Williamson County experiencing the largest growth in the CAPCOG area; and

WHEREAS, older Americans who deserve recognition for their contributions to our nation; and

WHEREAS, Williamson County recognizes that older adults are trailblazers – advocating for themselves, their peers, and their communities – paving the way for future generations; and

WHEREAS, the Williamson County Commissioners Court is committed to raising awareness about issues facing older Americans and helping all individuals to thrive in communities of their choice for as long as possible; and

WHEREAS, our community can provide opportunities to enrich the lives of individuals of all ages by:

- Promoting and engaging in activity, wellness and social involvement.
- Emphasizing and community-based services that support independent living.
- Ensuring community members can benefit from the contributions and experience of older adults.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Williamson County Commissioners Court declares the month of May 2016 to be Older Americans Month in Williamson County and recognizes the many contributions and trailblazing efforts of the seniors in the county.

RESOLVED THIS 17th Day of May 2016.

Dan A. Gattis, County Judge