

# Proclamation

## July 2010 – Kids Eat! Summer Meals Initiative Month

Whereas, the Texas Hunger Initiative is a collaborative effort – both statewide and locally. Our goal is to end hunger in Texas by 2015 through policy, education, grassroots organizing and community development;

Whereas, Tom Green County is one of only seven Texas counties selected as official pilot communities to actively and deliberately focus on alleviating hunger during this first year of the initiative;

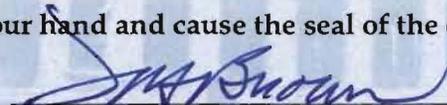
Whereas, in Tom Green County's congressional district, over 24% of families with children had times during the past 12 months when there was not enough money to buy food – that's nearly 6,000 households in Tom Green County;

Whereas, the goal for the Tom Green County Hunger Initiative for 2010 is to feed more children during the summer when school is not in session. In San Angelo, over 8,400 students receive free or reduced meals when school is in session – more than 60% of all students;

Whereas, after summer school ends on July 1<sup>st</sup>, 43 churches, ministries and organizations, businesses and numerous individuals have committed to provide meals in 10 San Angelo neighborhoods and at one site in Carlsbad in July and August.

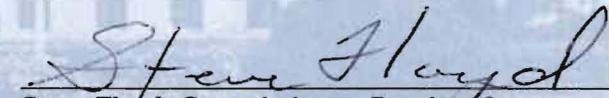
Now, therefore, the Commissioners Court of Tom Green County do hereby proclaim July 2010 as Kids Eat! Summer Meals Initiative Month in Tom Green County and urge all citizens to support the initiative's goal for 2010...feed the children.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set our hand and cause the seal of the court to be affixed the 22 day of June, 2010.

  
Michael D. Brown, County Judge

  
Ralph E. Hoelscher, Commissioner, Precinct 1

  
Aubrey de Cordova, Commissioner, Precinct 2

  
Steve Floyd, Commissioner, Precinct 3

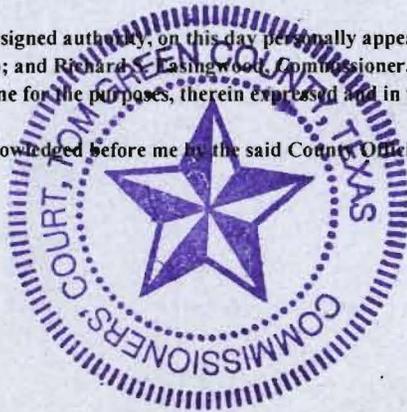
  
Richard S. Easingwood, Jr., Commissioner, Precinct 4

### ATTEST:

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Michael D. Brown, County Judge; Ralph E. Hoelscher, Commissioner, Pct. 1; Aubrey deCordova, Commissioner, Pct. 2; Steve C. Floyd, Commissioner, Pct. 3; and Richard S. Easingwood, Commissioner, Pct. 4, Tom Green County, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purposes, therein expressed and in the capacity therein stated.

Subscribed and acknowledged before me by the said County Officials, on this the 22 day of June, 2010.

Attest:



  
Elizabeth McGill, Tom Green County Clerk