

PROCLAMATION

Tree of Angels Day

The holiday period should be the most joyous time of year, but it can be an especially difficult time for victims of violent crimes and their families. The Tree of Angels, created by People Against Violent Crime, has become a restorative and educational tradition throughout Texas, including Tom Green County, as surviving victims of violent crime and their families are invited to bring an angel ornament for placement on a special Christmas tree.

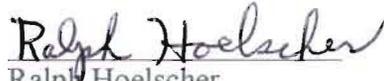
Since 1982, People Against Violent Crime has worked to ensure crime victims' rights are upheld, to support surviving family members and to remember those who have been lost to senseless violence.

Therefore, the Commissioners' Court of Tom Green County, State of Texas, do proclaim December 6, 2012 as **TREE of ANGELS Day** and urge citizens of Tom Green County to participate in the Tree of Angels event on Thursday, December 6, 2012. The ceremony will be held in the Community Room of the Stephens Central Library at 6:30 pm.

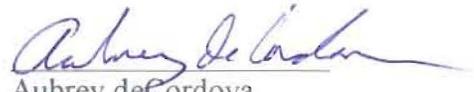
PASSED and ADOPTED by the Commissioners Court of Tom Green County, State of Texas on the twenty-seventh day of November 2012.



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