



## ***PROCLAMATION***

**WHEREAS**, parks and recreation programs are an integral part of communities throughout this country, including Coppell; and

**WHEREAS**, parks and recreation promotes health and wellness, encourages physical activities by providing space for popular sports, hiking trails, swimming pools and many other activities designed to promote active lifestyles; and

**WHEREAS**, our parks are vitally important to establishing and maintaining the quality of life in our communities, ensuring the health of all citizens, and contributing to the economic and environmental well-being of a community and region; and

**WHEREAS**, parks and recreation programs increase a community's economic prosperity through increased property values, expansion of the local tax base, the attraction and retention of businesses, and crime reduction; and

**WHEREAS**, our parks and natural recreation areas are fundamental to the environmental well-being of our community and provide a place for children and adults to connect with nature and recreate outdoors; and

**WHEREAS**, the U.S. House of Representatives has designated July as Park and Recreation Month.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Wes Mays, Mayor of the City of Coppell, do hereby proclaim the month of July as

### ***"PARK AND RECREATION MONTH"***

in the City of Coppell, and I encourage all citizens to celebrate by getting active outdoors, connecting with nature, visiting one of Coppell's many parks or recreation facilities, and creating memories with family and friends.

**IN WITNESS THEREOF**, I have set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Coppell to be affixed this 24th day of June 2025.

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Wes Mays, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Phoebe Stell, Interim City Secretary