



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, libraries are not just about what they have for people, but what they do for and with people; and

WHEREAS, libraries have long served as trusted and treasured institutions, and librarians and library workers are leaders fueling efforts to better their organizations, their communities, the nation and the world; and

WHEREAS, libraries and librarians look beyond their traditional roles to provide transformative opportunities for education, employment, entrepreneurship, empowerment and engagement, as well as new and innovative services and programs that connect closely with their communities' needs; and

WHEREAS, libraries are pioneers supporting democracy and effecting social change, by leveling the playing field to provide equitable access to information for all people, and by offering services and educational resources that transform communities, open minds and promote inclusion and diversity; and

WHEREAS, the Cozby Library and Community Commons has been serving the City of Coppel in all these ways, and more, since 1974; and

WHEREAS, libraries, librarians, library workers and library supporters across America are celebrating National Library Week.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Karen Selbo Hunt, Mayor of the City of Coppel, Texas, do hereby proclaim April 8-14, 2018, as:

NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

in the City of Coppel, and encourage all residents to visit the library this week, engage with your librarians, and explore the world of possibilities. Because of you and our library leaders, Libraries Lead.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Coppel to be affixed this 10th day of April 2018.

ATTEST:

Karen Selbo Hunt, Mayor

Christel Pettinos, City Secretary