



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, fire is a serious public safety concern both locally and nationally, and homes are the locations where people are at greatest risk from fire; and

WHEREAS, home fires kill over 2,700 people, and fire departments respond to over 300,000 home fires nationwide annually; and

WHEREAS, working smoke alarms alert you to danger in the event of fire in which you may have as little as 2 minutes to escape safely; and

WHEREAS, residents should be sure everyone in the home understands the sounds of the alarms and knows how to respond; and

WHEREAS, residents who have planned and practiced a home fire escape plan are more prepared and will therefore be more likely to survive a fire; and

WHEREAS, the 2021 Fire Prevention Month theme, “Learn the Sounds of Fire Safety,” effectively serves to remind us it is important to learn the different sounds of smoke and carbon monoxide alarms.

NOW THEREFORE, I Wes Mays, Mayor of Coppell do hereby proclaim the month of October 2021, as Fire Prevention Month throughout this city, and I urge all the people of Coppell to “Learn the Sounds of Fire Safety” for Fire Prevention Month 2021 and to support the many public safety activities and efforts of Coppell’s fire and emergency services.

IN WITNESS, THEREOF, I have set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Coppell to be affixed this 28th day of September 2021.

Wes Mays, Mayor

ATTEST:

Ashley Owens, City Secretary