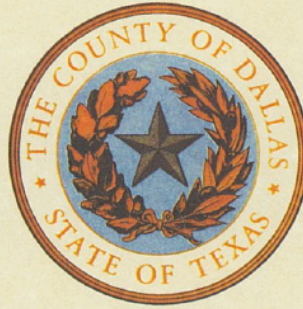


Resolution



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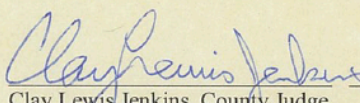
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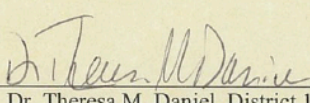
BE IT REMEMBERED, at a regular meeting of the Commissioners Court of Dallas County, Texas, held on the 19th day of April, 2022 on a motion made by Dr. Elba Garcia, Commissioner of District 4 and seconded by John Wiley Price, Commissioner District 3, the following Resolution was adopted:

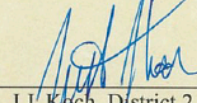
- WHEREAS** **Community Health Worker's (CHW) Week** will be observed April 26-30, 2022. The DFW-CHW Association recognizes this week as a joint effort with the State of Texas, which has declared April 16th as Texas CHW Day; and
- WHEREAS** The DFW-CHW Association's mission is to strengthen the community health workforce through professional development, education, networking, and community outreach; and
- WHEREAS** Texas was the first state to formally recognize Community Health Workers as members of the public health workforce through the passing of House Bill 1864, and is one of the few states that offers a statewide CHW certification; and
- WHEREAS** in Dallas County, Community Health Worker's Week recognizes their passion and dedication to improve community health, and celebrates the legacy of Community Health Workers and their community partnerships, working to improve the health of their most vulnerable community members; and
- WHEREAS** Community Health Workers are nationally recognized as essential front line public health workers by government agencies; and
- WHEREAS** leadership from Community Health Workers along with leadership from State, City, and local health officials are key to their sustainability and integration; and
- WHEREAS** Community Health Workers play a key role in advancing health equity, increasing access to care, and reducing health disparities; and
- WHEREAS** improving the health of populations requires sustainable, multi-sector collaborations between healthcare providers, public and private agencies, and their community stakeholders; and
- WHEREAS** the more than 4,000 Texas Community Health Workers and Community Health Worker Instructors serve a vital role in improving the health of their communities through community outreach and health education; and
- WHEREAS** the thousands of Community Health Workers in Dallas County work tirelessly to meet the health needs of the most vulnerable populations in our communities.

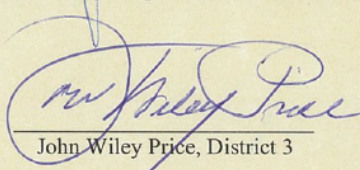
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Dallas County Commissioners Court does hereby declare the week of **April 26-30, 2022 as Community Health Worker's Week in Dallas County**, and further appreciates and commends every Community Health Worker for their outstanding and dedicated service to provide a better quality of life to those in need.

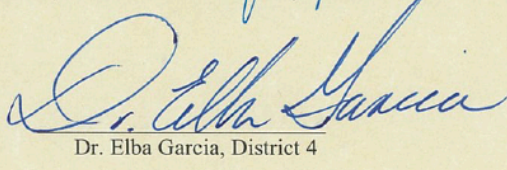
DONE IN OPEN COURT this the 19th day of April 2022


Clay Lewis Jenkins, County Judge


Dr. Theresa M. Daniel, District 1


J.J. Koch, District 2


John Wiley Price, District 3


Dr. Elba Garcia, District 4