



Office of the Mayor

P r o c l a m a t i o n

WHEREAS, we gather today to celebrate, honor and show our mutual respect for Dr. Arnold Adair, who has 40 years of experience in the educational field; remarkably, all of those have been with the Deer Park Independent School District; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Adair began his career in 1975 as a Teacher and Coach. He then became Assistant Principal and later Principal at Deer Park Junior High School. Arnold was named Executive Director of Secondary Instruction in 1994 and served in that capacity until 1999 when he was named Deputy Superintendent for Instruction. In February of 2004, Dr. Adair was named Superintendent of Schools for Deer Park Independent School District; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Adair also served as Adjunct Professor at the University of Houston Clear Lake where he taught courses for prospective teachers and administrators; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Adair has been the recipient of many honors, just to name a few: Texas Association for Bilingual Education 2013 Public Education Honoree; Texas Music Educators Association Distinguished Administrator Award for 2012; Abydos International Learning Superintendent's Award; Advocate for Excellence in Literacy Award for 2010; University of Houston at Clear Lake Distinguished Alumni Award; Superintendent of the Year by Texas Computer Educators Association; Felton F. Waggoner Hall of Honor Inductee; Sue German Award for Excellence Recipient; Junior High School Teacher of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Adair is an active presenter for many statewide and national organizations including: Pegasus Communications Conference; Texas Education Association Commissioner's Mid-Winter Conference; Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development; Conference on Excellence in Education; Texas Association of Secondary Administrators; Texas Association of School Boards; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Adair is married with three children and seven grandchildren. Three of the seven grandchildren are currently enrolled as third generation DPISD students.

WHEREAS, it is my honor to present this Proclamation to a most deserving individual. Thank you for your perseverance to our schools and making us Deer Park Proud.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JERRY MOUTON, Mayor of the City of Deer Park, along with the Deer Park City Council do hereby proclaim May 20, 2015 as

"DR. ARNOLD ADAIR DAY"

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Official Seal of the City of Deer Park to be affixed hereto this twentieth day of May, Two Thousand and Fifteen, A.D.