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AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

Hays County Commissioners Court
Tuesdays at 9:00 AM

Request forms are due in Microsoft Word Format via email by 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday.

AGENDA ITEM

Adopt a proclamation declaring the week of May 7-13, 2017 as National Correctional Officers and Employees Week.

ITEM TYPE	MEETING DATE	AMOUNT REQUIRED
PROCLAMATIONS/PRESENTATIONS	May 2, 2017	N/A

LINE ITEM NUMBER
N/A

AUDITOR USE ONLY

AUDITOR COMMENTS:

PURCHASING GUIDELINES FOLLOWED: N/A **AUDITOR REVIEW:** N/A

REQUESTED BY	SPONSOR	CO-SPONSOR
CUTLER	COBB	N/A

SUMMARY
Please see attached Proclamation.

FILED: **05 02 17**
HAYS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT
Resolution # 32465



PROCLAMATION DECLARING MAY 7 – 13, 2017 AS
NATIONAL CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES WEEK

STATE OF TEXAS §
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COUNTY OF HAYS §

WHEREAS, correctional officers are trained law enforcement professionals dedicated to maintaining secure correctional facilities and ensuring the public safety; and

WHEREAS, correctional facilities across the United States, both civilian and military, public and private are run by highly-qualified and experienced men and women with a deep understanding of the challenges and difficulties within the profession; and

WHEREAS, correctional officers and employees are responsible for the custody, care and reform of thousands of offenders every year as well as the maintenance of safe and secure facilities; and

WHEREAS, correctional employees work in very demanding and stressful conditions, face many challenges and put their lives at risk every day; and

WHEREAS, correctional officers and employees are some of the most resourceful, capable, committed, patient and persistent professionals in criminal justice and in our nation; and

WHEREAS, correctional officers and employees serve admirably in many different capacities, including jail administrators, wardens, chaplains, nurses, supervisors, managers and directors; and

WHEREAS, correctional officers and employees teach, train, mentor, counsel and treat thousands of offenders; and

WHEREAS, correctional officers and employees provide offenders with direction, hope and a new focus while preparing them for reentry and life outside of corrections, and

WHEREAS, correctional officers and employees rise to meet most any challenge and serve this honorable profession nobly and admirably; and now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, correctional officers and employees deserve the recognition for their service and should be commended by leaders in the profession, the public and our elected officials for the tremendous job they do and for the exceptional performance of duties under the most difficult of circumstances.

NATIONAL CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES WEEK

Correctional officers are most deserving of our respect, our gratitude and of the highest praise. They are well-trained, always on watch and prepared to meet any challenge. The men and women working in corrections are attentive, caring and full of conviction. On behalf of the Hays County and Commissioners Court, we commend all those who currently serve in the corrections profession.

ADOPTED THIS THE 2nd DAY OF May, 2017

Bert Cobb

Bert Cobb
Hays County Judge

Debbie Gonzales Ingelsbe
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ATTEST:
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