



# City of Killeen

- WHEREAS** Keep America Beautiful, Inc. is a national nonprofit organization which strives to empower individuals to take greater responsibility for enhancing the environment in their communities; and
- WHEREAS** Keep America Beautiful, Inc. has partnered with national sponsors to establish the Great American Cleanup, the largest such grassroots effort in the nation, to organize and bring national attention to community improvement activities undertaken by its participating organizations; and
- WHEREAS** Keep Texas Beautiful, a state affiliate of Keep America Beautiful, is working with communities and volunteer groups statewide to conduct litter prevention, cleanup, beautification, community improvement and waste minimization activities; and
- WHEREAS** The Don't Mess with Texas Trash-Off is the signature litter prevention and cleanup event in Texas made possible only through the hard work of volunteers; and
- WHEREAS** Keep Killeen Beautiful organizes the local Trash-Off event and many other efforts throughout the year to sustain and improve our quality of life in Killeen; and
- WHEREAS** The City of Killeen joins Keep Killeen Beautiful in supporting this national effort and recognizes the positive impact today's event will make in our community.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Jose L. Segarra, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Killeen do hereby proclaim April 8, 2017 as:

*The Don't Mess With Texas Trash-Off*

and further proclaim that the citizens of Killeen are official participants in the 2017 Great American Cleanup and direct activities to begin. **Killeen Up!**



**In Witness Whereof**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Killeen to be affixed this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2017.

  
Jose L. Segarra, MAYOR