

Proclamation

WHEREAS, school social workers serve as vital members of the educational team, playing a central role in creating a positive environment at schools; and

WHEREAS, school social workers are especially skilled in identifying and providing services to students who face serious challenges to school success, including poverty, disability, discrimination, abuse, addiction, bullying, loss of a loved one, and other barriers to learning; and

WHEREAS, school districts and local educational agencies should continue to work with school social workers to address students' social, emotional, physical, mental health, and environmental needs so that students may achieve academic success;

NOW, THERFORE, I, Mayor Ron Jensen, on behalf of the citizens and City Council of Grand Prairie, Texas, do hereby proclaim March 4-8, 2019 as:

NATIONAL SCHOOL SOCIAL WORK WEEK

WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS, on this 5th day of March 2019.

Ron Jensen, Mayor