

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Ms. Shelby Patrice Jenkins exudes through service and dedication, her deserving title of "Miss Texas U.S. International"; and

WHEREAS, Shelby is a native of Miami, Florida and received her Bachelors in Public Administration from Kentucky State University and is an active member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated; and

WHEREAS, Shelby is a devout advocate for children in foster care and understands the need for mentorship within the foster care system as she herself was adopted; and

WHEREAS, Shelby extends free services to middle schools, high schools and colleges for pageant training and opened "Shelby's Stars of Fine Arts" a fine arts center in the City of Grand Prairie; and

WHEREAS, We are proud to have change agents such as Shelby Patrice Jenkins committed to serving the Grand Prairie community; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and City Council of Grand Prairie, Texas, do hereby recognize Shelby Patrice Jenkins as

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urging all citizens to join me in this expression of our appreciation for Shelby's unselfish dedication to the welfare of our people and extending to her our very best wishes for her continued success in the upcoming years.

WITNESS OUR HANDS AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS, ON THIS 2nd DAY OF AUGUST, 2016

Ron Jensen