

Proclamation

Building Safety Month — May, 2020

Whereas, the City of Bonney Lake is committed to recognizing that our growth and strength depends on the safety and economic value of the homes, buildings and infrastructure that serve our citizens, both in everyday life and in times of natural disaster, and;

Whereas, International Code Council, a U.S. based organization, that brings together local, state and federal officials that are experts in the built environment to create and implement the highest-quality codes to protect us in the buildings where we live, learn, work, worship, play, and;

Whereas, Building Safety Month is sponsored by the International Code Council to remind the public about the critical role local code officials, architects, engineers, builders, tradespeople, design professionals, laborers and others in the construction industry play to assure the community that homes we live in and other buildings in the community are safe, efficient and livable, and;

Whereas, "Safer Buildings, Safer Communities, Safer World," the theme for Building Safety Month 2020, encourages all Americans to raise awareness about the importance of safe and resilient construction; fire prevention; disaster mitigation, and new technologies in the construction industry, and;

Whereas, Building Safety Month 2020 encourages appropriate steps everyone can take to ensure the safety of our built environment, and recognizes that the implementation of safety codes by local and state agencies has saved lives and protected homes and businesses, and;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Neil Johnson, Jr., Mayor of the City of Bonney Lake do hereby proclaim the month of May 2020 as Building Safety Month. Accordingly, I encourage our citizens to join with their communities in participation in Building Safety Month activities.

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