

WHEREAS, the Chinese Institute of Engineers, USA (CIE/USA) was founded in 1917 with a mission to serve members from all over the United States sharing their experiences and insights in business and technology; and

whereas, as a non-profit professional organization, CIE/USA plays an important role in our economy and our society, especially with the growing needs for business savvy skilled workers in the field of engineering and science; and

WHEREAS, these friends and colleagues come together to strengthen their affiliation, promote the exchange of green technology, and to encourage ecological responsibility among various fields of engineers and scientists; and

whereas, the DFW Chapter of the Chinese Institute of Engineers' seven technical service groups have provided four technical symposiums this year, focusing on professional knowledge sharing and career development. The services they provided to the local engineering community are significant contributing factors in improving the area's local economy; and

WHEREAS, the City of McKinney, Texas applauds the DFW Chapter of the Chinese Institute of Engineers' desire to grow and support an environmentally sound community; and

WHEREAS, on August 16, 2014, the DFW Chapter of the Chinese Institute of Engineers will assemble in Richardson, Texas, for its 25th Annual Convention; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN LOUGHMILLER, BY THE POWER VESTED IN ME AS MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM AUGUST 16, 2014 AS

## Chinese Institute of Engineers, USA Day

Brian Loughmiller, Mayor

in McKinney, Texas.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL THIS 16<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF AUGUST, 2014.

ATTEST:

Sandy Hart, City Secretary