

**MICHAEL S. RAWLINGS**

**MAYOR**



**CITY OF DALLAS**

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***Greetings,***

On behalf of the City of Dallas, it is with great pleasure that I welcome you to the 2015 CIE/USA-DFW 26th Annual Convention, held August 15, 2015 held in Dallas, Texas. The CIE/USA-DFW has been an essential part of our community, and I am honored to take part in recognizing this noteworthy occasion

Your organization's community contributions are what make you an invaluable part of our city and a shining example to others. Thank you for serving the Dallas community and dedicating your work to providing members with the tools and opportunities needed for the growth and development of their businesses.

Dallas is proud to be a hub for innovation and as mayor of this great city, it is my hope that this conference will help the attendees engage in stimulating dialogue and foster ideas that can positively impact our communities as a whole.

I want to extend best wishes for a successful and memorable conference and offer congratulations and best wishes as you celebrate 26 years of service to the Dallas community.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael S. Rawlings".

Michael S. Rawlings  
Mayor