2025 Month of the Military Child

By the

Wylie Independent School Board

Abilene, Texas

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS thousands of brave Americans demonstrate their courage and commitment to freedom by serving in the Armed Forces of the United States, both on Active Duty and in the National Guard and Reserves; and

WHEREAS Texas has approximately 149,761 children with parents serving in the military, either on Active Duty, in the National Guard, or in the Reserves; and

WHEREAS Wylie Independent School District is proud to serve over 1,100 military-connected students and reflects the values of dedication and resilience in the education system; and

WHEREAS Wylie Independent School District strives to provide a supportive and nurturing environment that addresses the unique needs of military-connected students and their families, ensuring that they have access to quality educational opportunities; and

WHEREAS the youth of our service members contribute significantly to their families, schools, communities, the nation, and our great state, despite the challenges presented by the prolonged and repeated absences of one or both parents; and

WHEREAS these children are a source of pride and honor to us all, and it is only fitting that we take the time to recognize their contributions, celebrate their spirit, and let our men and women in uniform know that while they are taking care of us, we are taking care of their children; and

WHEREAS the recognition of the "Month of the Military Child" allows us to pay tribute to military children for their commitment, patience, courage, and unconditional support of their parents; and

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Board of Trustees of Wylie Independent School District, do hereby recognize the month of April as "Month of the Military Child" within our school district.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 14th day of April 2025.

JOHN LIGHT, Superintendent