

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR / CITY OF DALLAS



Proclamation

WHEREAS, The Season for Peace and Nonviolence is a national 64-day educational, media and grassroots campaign dedicated to demonstrating that nonviolence is a powerful way to heal, transform and empower our lives and communities; and

WHEREAS, The Season for Peace and Nonviolence honors the vision for an empowered world, inspired by the 50th and 30th memorial anniversaries of Mahatma Gandhi and Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.; and

WHEREAS, The Season for Peace and Nonviolence previous sponsors included Centers for Spiritual Living, Dallas, Celebration of Life Centers for Spiritual Living, First Unitarian Church of Dallas, Interfaith Mindfulness Ministries, Dallas Meditation Center and Awakening Heart Sangha, Dallas Peace Center; and

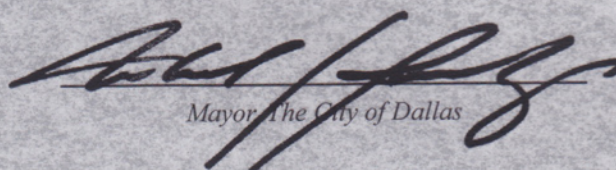
WHEREAS, national patrons for Season for Peace and Nonviolence include M.K. Gandhi Institute of Nonviolence a non-sectarian institute founded by Mahatma Gandhi's grandson, Arun Gandhi, Lafayette & Associates Kingian Nonviolence Training, Youth Nonviolence Training, Michigan Institute for Nonviolence Education, Association of Global New Thought, Fellowship of Reconciliation and Interfaith Center of New York; and

WHEREAS, Sacred Living – A Focus Ministry of Centers for Spiritual Living will sponsor the 18th Anniversary of the Season for Peace and Nonviolence, which promotes a culture of peace through education, special events and media.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MICHAEL S. RAWLINGS, mayor of the City of Dallas, and on behalf of the Dallas City Council, do hereby proclaim January 30-April 4, 2015 as

A SEASON FOR PEACE AND NONVIOLENCE

in Dallas, Texas.


Mayor, The City of Dallas

