



PROCLAMATION
Recognizing
POLK COUNTY RECYCLES WEEK

Whereas, Polk County is committed to environmental sustainability and recognizes the importance of recycling as a means to protect our natural resources and reduce waste; and

Whereas, recycling helps conserve energy, reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and promote the responsible use of resources; and

Whereas, Polk County is home to a vibrant nonprofit-run recycling center, which has been serving our community for two years as of November 2023, contributing significantly to our recycling efforts; and

Whereas, the anniversary of this nonprofit-run recycling center falls in November 2023, marking two years of dedicated service to our community; and

Whereas, the citizens of Polk County have demonstrated their commitment to recycling and environmental stewardship by actively participating in recycling programs and supporting local recycling initiatives; and

Whereas, Polk County wishes to formally recognize and celebrate the importance of recycling and the contributions of our nonprofit-run recycling center;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that we, the Commissioners Court of Polk County, Texas, does hereby recognize, as follows, to-wit:

“November 12 - 18, 2023 is Polk County Recycles Week”

And do hereby encourage all residents, businesses, schools, and community organizations to observe this week by:

1. Raising awareness about the benefits of recycling and its positive impact on our environment.
2. Participating in local recycling programs and initiatives.
3. Supporting and patronizing our nonprofit-run recycling center.
4. Reducing, reusing, and recycling materials to minimize waste.

Let us come together as a community to celebrate the successes of recycling in Polk County and work towards a more sustainable and environmentally responsible future.

PROCLAIMED AND SIGNED this, the 14th day of November 2023.

Sydney Murphy

County Judge
Polk County, Texas