Proclamation

Be it known that

Whereas,
Smarter energy use saved consumers and businesses money and helps avoid power plant emissions that can harm our health, pollute our air, and warm our climate; and

Whereas,
The City of Austin through its public utility provides approximately $20 million in incentives for energy efficiency every year, with a goal of reducing energy use by at least one percent; and

Whereas,
The City of Austin has adopted energy codes to make new construction more energy-efficient and developed a unique Green Building Program that encourages and recognizes architects and developers that meet more aggressive green building features; and

Whereas,
The City of Austin has set a community-wide goal of getting to zero carbon emissions by 2050, and energy efficiency efforts will be an important part of this effort;

Now, Therefore,
I, Steve Adler, Mayor of the City of Austin, Texas,
do hereby proclaim

October 5th, 2018

as

Energy Efficiency Day

in Austin,
In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Austin to be affixed this 5th Day of October in the Year Two Thousand Eighteen

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Steve Adler, Mayor, City of Austin