

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the City of Brentwood is committed to recognizing that our growth and strength depends on the safety and essential role our homes, buildings and infrastructure play, both in everyday life and when disasters strike; and

WHEREAS, our confidence in the resilience of these buildings that make up our community is achieved through the devotion of vigilant guardians--building safety and fire prevention officials, architects, engineers, builders, tradespeople, design professionals, laborers, plumbers and others in the construction industry--who work year-round to ensure the safe construction of buildings; and

WHEREAS, these modern building codes include safeguards to protect the public from hazards such as hurricanes, snowstorms, tornadoes, wildland fires, floods and earthquakes; and

WHEREAS, Building Safety Month is sponsored by the International Code Council to remind the public about the critical role of our communities' largely unknown protectors of public safety--our local code officials--who assure us of safe, sustainable and affordable buildings that are essential to our prosperity; and

WHEREAS, "Mission Possible," the theme for Building Safety Month 2024, encourages us all to raise awareness about building safety on a personal, local and global scale; and

WHEREAS, each year, in observance of Building Safety Month, people all over the world are asked to consider the commitment to improve building safety, resilience and economic investment at home and in the community, and to acknowledge the essential service provided to all of us by local and state building departments, fire prevention bureaus and federal agencies in protecting lives and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the City Council of the City of Brentwood does hereby recognize the month of May as

BUILDING SAFETY MONTH

and encourage our residents to join us as we participate in Building Safety Month activities.

Dated this 23rd day of April 2024




Joel R. Bryant, Mayor