

# PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, Across Texas, clean and abundant forms of energy are powering more homes and businesses than ever before thanks to renewable sources such as wind, solar, hydro, geothermal, as well as nuclear, natural gas, and carbon capture technologies; and

**WHEREAS**, Texas is the leading crude oil- and natural gas-producing state in the nation, and also ranks first in wind-powered electricity generation; and

**WHEREAS**, The clean energy sector is a key driver of economic growth in Sweetwater, with scores of new jobs being added to the industry every year that cannot be outsourced due to the on-site nature of construction, installation, and maintenance; and

**WHEREAS**, Sweetwater must harness the power of Texas entrepreneurs and small businesses and ensure government collaboration to assert American energy leadership and dominance in the global marketplace to ensure low-cost renewable and reliable energy; and

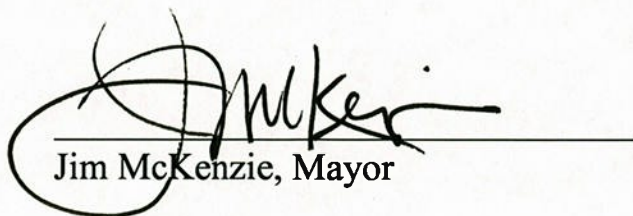
**WHEREAS**, National Clean Energy Week provides the chance to lift up common sense solutions that will curb climate change while simultaneously preserve the beauty of Texas's natural resources.

**BE IT KNOWN** that on this 13th day of September, 2022, I, Jim McKenzie, Mayor of the City of Sweetwater, do hereby proclaim September 26-30, 2022 to be

## **“CLEAN ENERGY WEEK”**

in Sweetwater, Texas and urge all residents to observe Clean Energy Week as an annual awareness week that supports our nation's energy sector.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Sweetwater to be affixed this 13th day of September, 2021.

  
Jim McKenzie, Mayor

