

Whereas,

The Austin Organic Garden Club was established in 1945, making this year the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary; and,

Whereas,

The Club is recognized by the Rodale Institute as the oldest continuously meeting, organic garden club in the country; and,

Whereas,

The Club educates the public about growing plants and controlling insects using natural means, rather than chemical agents that can be toxic to the environment, growers and consumers; and

Whereas.

Organic growing practices are not only kind to the environment but fruits and vegetables that are grown organically also have a positive impact on the diets of those who consume them;

Now, Therefore,

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

October 11, 2015

Austin Organic Gardeners Club 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 11th Day of October in the Year Two Thousand Fifteen

e Adler, Mayor, City of Austin

