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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

City of Orange

WHEREAS Amateur Radio Operators are celebrating over a century of human voice broadcast over the airwaves and have continued to provide a bridge between peoples, societies, and countries by creating friendships and sharing of ideas ; and

WHEREAS Amateur Radio Operators have provided countless hours of emergency communication in towns across America including the California wildfires, winter storms, tornadoes, hurricanes and other events world-wide; and

WHEREAS The American Radio Relay League (ARRL), the leading organization for amateur radio in the United States, provides direction and sponsorship for the amateur radio operators all over the U.S. as they prepare to participate in the Annual ARRL Amateur Radio Field Day Exercise; and

WHEREAS “Radio Hams” in the Golden Triangle area, Jefferson County Amateur Radio Club, Orange Amateur Radio Club and the Beaumont Amateur Radio Club will be demonstrating amateur radio at the Jefferson County Amateur Radio Clubhouse located at 923 Boston Avenue, Nederland, Texas on June 26 & 27, 2010; and

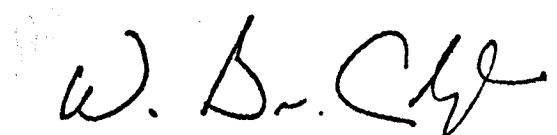
WHEREAS Local “Hams” have contributed over 900 man hours of volunteer service since beginning of the month May this year;

NOW THEREFORE I, Brown Claybar, Mayor of the City of Orange in recognition of this event do proclaim the week of June 21 - 28, 2010 as

“AMATEUR RADIO WEEK”

in the City of Orange and asked all citizens to join in and wish the local “Radio Hams” success as they demonstrate their ability to provide emergency communication for our community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the seal of the City of Orange, Texas to be hereto affixed this the 24th day of June, 2010.



William Brown Claybar, Mayor