



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the purchasing and procurement management professions play a significant role in the efficiency and effectiveness of both government and business; and

WHEREAS, purchasing and procurement management professionals, acting on behalf of the governmental agencies they represent, and through their combined purchasing power, spend billions of dollars nationwide every year and so have a significant influence upon economic conditions throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, both the Middle Tennessee Public Purchasing Association as well as the Tennessee Association of Public Purchasing, each of which are chapters of NIGP: The Institute for Public Procurement, all three of which organizations the City of Franklin is a member agency, and other professional purchasing associations throughout the world engage in special efforts, during the month of March, to inform the public about the importance of the role played by the public purchasing profession in business, industry and government.

NOW, THEREFORE I, Dr. Ken Moore, Mayor of Franklin, Tennessee do hereby proclaim March, 2012 as

“Purchasing Month”

for the City of Franklin, Tennessee

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 28th day of February 2012.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Dr. Ken Moore", is written over a horizontal line.

Dr. Ken Moore
Mayor of Franklin, Tennessee