

CTAE Proclamation

WHEREAS: February 1-28, 2019, has been designated Career, Technical, and Agricultural Education Month by the Association for Career and Technical Education; and

WHEREAS: profound economic and technological changes in our society are rapidly reflected in the structure and nature of work, thereby placing new and additional responsibilities on our educational system; and

WHEREAS: career and technical education provides Americans with a school-to-career connection and is the backbone of a strong, well-educated workforce, which fosters productivity in business and industry and contributes to America's leadership in the international marketplace; and

WHEREAS: career and technical education gives high school students experience in practical, meaningful applications of skills such as reading, writing and mathematics, thus improving the quality of their education, motivating potential dropouts and giving all students leadership opportunities in their fields and in their communities; and

WHEREAS: career and technical offers individuals with lifelong opportunities to learn new skills, which provide them with career choices and potential satisfaction; and

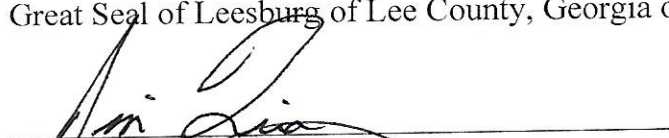
WHEREAS: the ever-increasing cooperative efforts of career and technical educators, business and industry stimulate the growth and vitality of our local economy and that of the entire nation by preparing graduates for career fields forecast to experience the largest and fastest growth in the next decade;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Jim Quinn, Mayor of Leesburg, Georgia do hereby proclaim February 1-28, 2019, as

Career and Technical Education Month

I urge all citizens of Leesburg to become familiar with the services and benefits offered by the career and technical education programs in this community and to support and participate in these programs to enhance their individual work skills and productivity.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of Leesburg of Lee County, Georgia on this 7th day of February 2019.



Mayor



Attest