



THE STATE OF TEXAS
GOVERNOR



*To all to whom these presents shall come,
Greetings: Know ye that this official certificate is presented in
recognition of the:*

29th Anniversary of the
Americans with Disabilities Act
July 26, 2019

In Texas, we believe that everyone deserves the opportunity to pursue their American Dream. In 1990, President George H.W. Bush—a Texan—signed the Americans with Disabilities Act, calling it a long overdue ‘independence day’ for Americans with disabilities. The ADA was the first comprehensive civil rights law for people with disabilities, prohibiting discrimination in employment, public accommodations, transportation, telecommunications, and other areas. We celebrate its continued importance in ensuring accessibility and full inclusion for all people with disabilities. Through continued commitment to fairness and equality of opportunity, we can ensure a bright future for all residents of the Lone Star State.

First Lady Cecilia Abbott joins me in encouraging all Texans to gather and celebrate the anniversary of the historic legislation. Together, we can work to create a state that is accessible and inclusive for all Texans.



In testimony whereof, I have signed my name and caused the Seal of the State of Texas to be affixed at the City of Austin, this the 3rd day of July, 2019.

Greg Abbott
Governor of Texas