

# City of Durant *Proclamation*

*Whereas, the City of Durant supports programs dedicated to improve the quality of life for our young people who represent the nation's greatest resource, and who in the years ahead will assume the responsibility in our great community; and*

*Whereas, the City of Durant has designated May 8, 2013 as Durant Walk and Roll to School Day in conjunction with the official National Bike to School Day, promoting students community-wide to get out and bike or walk to school; and*

*Whereas, the Durant Police Department will provide escorts for the event in coordination with the Durant Independent School District for travel routes on May 8; and*

*Whereas, our students need guidance, inspiration and encouragement, which we can give, in order to help develop and continue healthy lifestyles with a sincere willingness to help prepare them in every way for their current and future responsibilities to serve the community of Durant and America; and*

*Whereas, to achieve this worthy objective, we shall continue our partnership with the Durant School District to proclaim our support of the hopes and aspirations of our students.*

*Now therefore, I, Jerry L. Tomlinson, Mayor of Durant, Oklahoma do hereby proclaim May 8, 2013 as*

## *"Durant Walk and Roll to School Day"*

*and urge all departments of government, schools, civic, fraternal and patriotic groups and our citizens generally, to participate wholeheartedly in its observance.*



*Given under my hand and the  
Seal of the City of Durant  
this 1<sup>st</sup> day of May 2013*

*Jerry L. Tomlinson*  
Jerry L. Tomlinson, Mayor

*Leta J. Whitaker*  
Leta J. Whitaker, City Clerk