

Proclamation No. 13-0571

Honoring the work of Regis University Dual Language Campus in advancing higher education opportunities for adults

WHEREAS, Regis University Dual Language Campus was opened in 2011 and is focused on the need for higher education options for adults with limited English proficiency; and

WHEREAS, Regis University Dual Language Campus is providing access to dual language higher education with degree programs in Denver by integrating language acquisition and professional degree options in a culturally competent environment; and

WHEREAS, Regis University Dual Language Campus has exercised continuing leadership in promoting global workforce readiness, professional competency, and academic achievement toward social advancement; and

WHEREAS, Regis University Dual Language Campus is engaging the community through bilingual outreach and communications to encourage adults to pursue lifelong learning through bilingual undergraduate and Master's degree programs and development of language skills; and

WHEREAS, Regis University Dual Language Campus is training the future bilingual professional through education to become role models and leaders for families, the community and the city; and

WHEREAS, Regis University Dual Language Campus supports diversity and inclusion in education and workforce and career development; and

WHEREAS, Regis University Dual Language Campus embodies the Jesuit mission of "men and women in service of others" throughout the greater Denver Metropolitan area; and

WHEREAS, Regis University Dual Language Campus empowers its students to become English and Spanish language proficient, global workforce ready, and academically well prepared, providing the resources to a better future through a bilingual higher education.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER:

Section 1. That the Denver City Council recognizes the positive educational and social impact that Regis University Dual Language Campus has made in Denver's communities and honors its work in providing bilingual higher education to adults and improving lives.

Section 2. That the Clerk of the City and County of Denver shall attest and affix the seal of the City and County of Denver to this proclamation and that a copy be transmitted to Leonor McCall-Rodriguez, Executive Director of Regis University Dual Language Campus.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL August 26, 2013

P	RESIDENT