

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: On August 14, 1935, President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed the Social Security Act into law; and

WHEREAS: Social Security is a social insurance program under which workers earn coverage for retirement, survivors, and disability benefits by paying Social Security taxes on their earnings; and

WHEREAS: Social Security serves as vital financial protection for working men and women, children, those with disabilities, and the elderly; and

WHEREAS: Social Security also administers the Supplemental Security Income program, which is funded by general revenues and provides cash assistance to aged, blind, and disabled persons who have very limited means; and

WHEREAS: The Social Security program is the cornerstone of economic protection on which workers can build a comfortable retirement through pensions, insurance, savings, and other income; and

WHEREAS: Social Security is committed to providing the American public choices for conducting business with the agency. The Social Security website offers online services, applications, and program information for beneficiaries, employers, and the public; and

WHEREAS: *my* Social Security allows people quick, convenient, and secure access to their personal Social Security record. A personal *my* Social Security account is a valuable source of information beginning in employees' working years and continuing throughout the time they receive Social Security benefits; and

WHEREAS: The City of Clinton, Oklahoma recognizes the importance of Social Security benefits to the welfare of its citizens and joins the Social Security Administration in celebrating its past and in building its future;

I, THEREFORE, Seth Adams, Mayor of the City of Clinton, Oklahoma, do hereby proclaim that, on Friday, August 14, 2015:

The City of Clinton, Oklahoma joins the Nation in celebrating the 80th anniversary of the signing of the Social Security Act.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Clinton, Oklahoma] to be affixed at City Hall this 18th day of August, 2015.