

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, National Hispanic Heritage Month celebrates the countless contributions of more than 60 million Hispanic Americans to our culture and society; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic Americans are the largest minority group in the United States today, and generations of Hispanic Americans have contributed to our nation’s strength, prosperity and quality of life; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic Americans, including over 7,000 in Caddo Parish and another 9,000 in bordering parishes, embody the best of our American values, including commitment to faith, family, and community; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic Americans contribute in so many ways from protecting this nation through service in our military to tremendous economic contributions made through commitment, ingenuity and skill to the enrichment experienced as Hispanic culture, food, music, history and traditions are shared and celebrated. The Hispanic-American community has left an indelible mark on our government, culture, and economy; and


WHEREAS, Hispanic Americans lay claim to an undeniably important role in our country’s great years to come, and that Caddo Parish Commission proudly stands to honor them and their innumerable contributions to Caddo Parish’s prosperity, culture and way of life; and

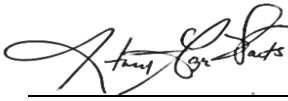
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Caddo Parish Commission meeting in legal and regular session convened during the month of October does hereby proclaim September 15th through October 15th, 2025 as

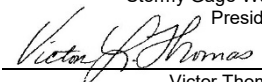
‘Hispanic Heritage Month’


in Caddo Parish, Louisiana, and urges all citizens to join with the Caddo Parish Commission to celebrate the Hispanic Heritage Month honoring the contributions of the Hispanic Community.

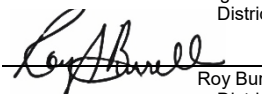
ATTEST:



Jeff Everson
Commission Clerk

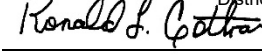

Stormy Gage-Watts
President

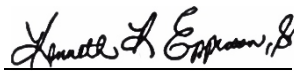

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Parliamentarian



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District 2

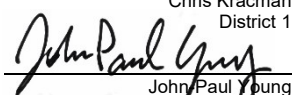

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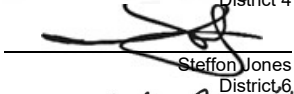

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District 8

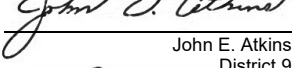

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