## SPECIAL RESOLUTION OF THE CADDO PARISH COMMISSION CONGRATULATING THE SOUTHWOOD COWBOYS FOOTBALL TEAM

**WHEREAS**, the Southwood High School Cowboys football team has long demonstrated perseverance, dedication, and school spirit despite facing significant challenges over recent years; and

WHEREAS, entering the 2025 season, the Southwood Cowboys had endured a 46-game losing streak—the longest losing streak in Louisiana high school football history—that dated back to 2019. Shreveport-Bossier Journal

**WHEREAS**, on the evening of September 12, 2025, at Lee Hedges Stadium, the Southwood Cowboys achieved a hard-fought 16-15 victory over Arcadia, ending that 46-game streak and bringing renewed pride and hope to their school, community, and supporters. Shreveport-Bossier Journal+1

**WHEREAS**, under the leadership of Coach De'Aumante Johnson, and through the effort of every player, assistant coach, and supporting staff, the Cowboys showed remarkable resilience, never losing faith in their ability to overcome adversity. SI

WHEREAS, this victory not only restores the spirit of competition for Southwood, but also serves as an inspiration to youth and athletic programs throughout Caddo Parish—illustrating that hard work, teamwork, and perseverance can break even the longest of streaks;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Caddo Parish Commission does hereby congratulate the Southwood High School Cowboys football team on this historic victory;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Commission commends Coach Johnson, his coaching staff, the players, and all associated with the program for their character, persistence, and the positive example this achievement sets;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Caddo Parish Commission extends gratitude to the students, parents, fans, and community members whose support has sustained the team during difficult seasons and whose joy at this moment is well-deserved;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this Resolution shall be a part of the official minutes of the Commission and that copies be presented to Southwood High School, the coaching staff, and the team to memorialize this milestone in the history of Southwood athletics.

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