

# State of Louisiana



## Parish of Caddo In the Name and By the Authority of The Caddo Parish Commission

### Special Resolution of Remembrance

**WHEREAS**, the members of the Caddo Parish Commission recognize with profound sorrow the loss of brave United States service members who have given their lives in the line of duty during the ongoing conflict involving the United States and Iran; and

**WHEREAS**, these courageous men and women answered the call of their nation and served with honor, dedication, and unwavering commitment to protecting the freedoms and security of the United States and its allies; and

**WHEREAS**, the American service members who have tragically lost their lives during the early stages of this conflict are **Chief Warrant Officer Robert Marzan, Major Jeffrey O'Brien, Sergeant Declan Coady, Sergeant First Class Nicole Amor, Captain Cody Khork, and Sergeant First Class Noah Tietjens. Sergeant Benjamin N. Pennington, Major John A. Kfinner, Captain Ariana G. Savino, Technical Sergeant Ashley B. Pruitt, Captain Seth R. Koval, Captain Curtis J. Angst, and Technical Sergeant Tyler Simmons.**

**WHEREAS**, the first six casualties listed were the result of a drone strike on March 1, 2026 at a US Military Installation near Port Shuaiba, Kuwait, and soon after there was another service member who was injured in an attack on Prince Sultan Air Base and later succumbed to his injuries, and six more casualties on March 12th when a plane crash occurred in Iraq while supporting operations related to the conflict, bringing the number of U.S. military personnel who have lost their lives to more than a dozen during the early days of the war, while over 200 American troops have been wounded in service to our nation;

**WHEREAS**, the sacrifice of these fallen heroes represents the highest form of service and devotion to country, and their bravery serves as a solemn reminder of the costs of freedom and the heavy burdens carried by those who wear the uniform of the United States Armed Forces; and

**WHEREAS**, the citizens of Caddo Parish join communities across America in honoring the memory of these service members and extending our deepest condolences, prayers, and gratitude to their families, friends, fellow service members, and loved ones; and

**WHEREAS**, it is fitting that the Caddo Parish Commission pause to remember and recognize the lives, courage, and sacrifices of these American patriots whose dedication to duty will forever be remembered with honor and respect;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Caddo Parish Commission hereby expresses its deepest respect and heartfelt remembrance for the United States service members who lost their lives in the Iran conflict while serving their nation with honor and distinction; and


**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Caddo Parish Commission calls upon the citizens of Caddo Parish to reflect upon the sacrifices made by these brave men and women, to honor their memory, and to support the families and loved ones who bear the weight of their loss; and


**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Caddo Parish Commission extends its profound gratitude to all members of the United States Armed Forces who continue to serve with courage and dedication around the world in defense of freedom and democracy; and

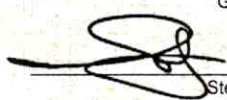
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this Resolution be spread upon the official minutes of the Caddo Parish Commission as a lasting expression of remembrance, respect, and gratitude for the lives and sacrifices of these fallen American heroes.

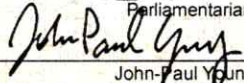
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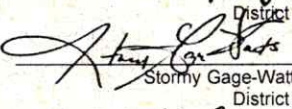


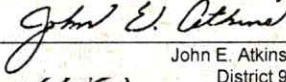
  
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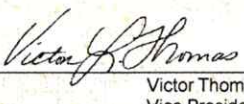
  
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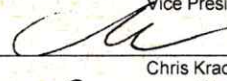
  
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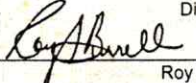
  
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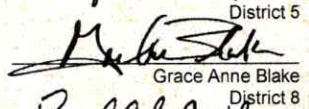
  
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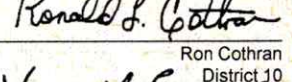
  
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