

*Special Resolution Declaring April 2026 as the
Month of the Military Child*

WHEREAS, the Month of the Military Child is observed each April to recognize the strength, resilience, and sacrifices of children whose parents serve in the United States Armed Forces; and

WHEREAS, military children face unique challenges, including frequent relocations, transitions between schools, and extended separations from parents due to deployments and training commitments; and

WHEREAS, despite these challenges, military children demonstrate remarkable courage, adaptability, and perseverance, contributing positively to their schools and communities; and

WHEREAS, Caddo Parish is home to many military families, including those connected to Barksdale Air Force Base, whose service and sacrifice play a vital role in protecting our nation and preserving our freedoms; and

WHEREAS, the support of military families, especially children, is essential to the strength and readiness of our Armed Forces, and their contributions deserve recognition and appreciation; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the Caddo Parish Commission join communities across the nation in honoring military children and recognizing their important role in the fabric of our society;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Caddo Parish Commission, in regular session duly convened, that it does hereby declare April 2026 as

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in Caddo Parish, Louisiana and encourages all citizens to recognize and celebrate the sacrifices and contributions of military children and their families; and

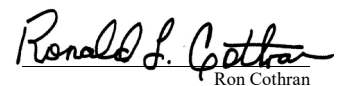
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Caddo Parish Commission expresses its sincere gratitude to the children of military families for their strength, resilience, and service to our nation; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be spread upon the minutes of this meeting and that a suitably prepared copy be presented to appropriate representatives in recognition of this observance.

ATTEST:


Jeff Everson
Commission Clerk


Gregory Young
President


Ron Cothran
District 10


Grace Anne Blake
District 8