SPECIAL RESOLUTION HONORING DISTRICT 3 VOLUNTEERS

WHEREAS, the Caddo Parish Commission takes great pride in recognizing individuals whose selfless service, community pride, and commitment to improving their neighborhoods make Caddo Parish a cleaner, safer, and more welcoming place to live; and

WHEREAS, **Delores Adger, Robert Baylor & Dennis Mahoney ,** longtime residents of the historic Stoner Hill neighborhood for more than 50 years, have demonstrated an extraordinary commitment to the well-being and continued improvement of the community through countless hours of volunteer service and neighborhood advocacy; and

WHEREAS, as active supporters of the District 3 War on Litter, Delores Adger, Robert Baylor & Dennis Mahoney have devoted considerable personal time and energy to keeping the streets of Stoner Hill clean and safe, whether by personally collecting litter and debris or contacting appropriate agencies to ensure that neglected areas receive the attention they deserve; and

WHEREAS, these efforts extend far beyond occasional neighborhood cleanups, reflecting a daily commitment to maintaining the beauty, safety, and dignity of Stoner Hill and demonstrating that meaningful community improvement often begins with the determination of a single individual willing to take action; and

WHEREAS, Delores Adger, Robert Baylor & Dennis Mahoney also actively support neighborhood initiatives designed to strengthen relationships among residents, promote unity, expand educational opportunities, and encourage greater community participation in the care and improvement of Stoner Hill; and

WHEREAS, guided by the simple but powerful personal motto, "Someone has to do it," Delores Adger, Robert Baylor & Dennis Mahoney exemplify the spirit of servant leadership, recognizing a need and taking responsibility for addressing it without seeking recognition, compensation, or personal reward; and

WHEREAS, the Caddo Parish Commission recognizes that strong neighborhoods are built not only through public investment and government services, but also through the dedication of residents who take personal ownership of their communities and inspire others through their example; and

WHEREAS, the Commission, and particularly District 3 Commissioner Victor Thomas, expresses its sincere appreciation for Delores Adger, Robert Baylor & Dennis Mahoney and the invaluable contributions made toward advancing the District 3 War on Litter and fostering a cleaner, safer, and more connected Stoner Hill neighborhood;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Caddo Parish Commission, in regular session convened, does hereby proudly recognize and commend Delores Adger, Robert Baylor & Dennis Mahoney for outstanding volunteer service, unwavering neighborhood pride, and exceptional dedication to the beautification, safety, and continued improvement of the Stoner Hill community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Commission extends its heartfelt appreciation for the countless hours devoted to neighborhood cleanups, community advocacy, and initiatives that strengthen the bonds among residents, recognizing that such selfless contributions make a meaningful and lasting difference in the quality of life throughout District 3.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Special Resolution be presented to Delores Adger, Robert Baylor & Dennis Mahoney as an expression of the admiration, gratitude, and respect of the Caddo Parish Commission and the citizens of Caddo Parish, with sincere appreciation for demonstrating that the simple conviction, "Someone has to do it," can inspire extraordinary acts of service and lasting positive change.

ATTEST:

Victor L. Thomas
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President

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Commission Clerk