

State of Louisiana



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

SPECIAL RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING RETIRED TEACHERS DAY

WHEREAS, Louisiana Governor Jon Bel Edward has declared March 17th, 2022 as Retired Teachers Day in the State of Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, Caddo Parish is fortunate to be home to many retired teachers who devoted their professional lives to the betterment of others, using their talents and gifts, combined with hard work and dedication to train and educate tens of thousands of Caddo Parish's sons and daughters and young people across the region; and

WHEREAS, Caddo's retired teachers contributed and continue to contribute beyond the primary, secondary and post-secondary halls of education and have provided guidance, job training, behavioral training, leadership, volunteerism, and countless other forms of nurturing through their roles in their communities, charitable organizations, houses of worship, and civic affairs; and

WHEREAS, Caddo Parish's retired teachers can look back with pride on their careers knowing that they were entrusted with preparing a generation of leaders and shaping the minds that would guide our society through the challenges of the future, whether those leaders lead in their homes, professions, communities or beyond; and

WHEREAS, Caddo Parish and those communities who have benefitted from Caddo Parish transplants owe so much of their quality of life and success to retired teachers who instilled the magic of learning, even as the resources and pay afforded to them were often below what was deserved; and

WHEREAS, Caddo Parish remains dedicated to the retired teachers of our community and appreciative of the wealth of experience and knowledge that they possess, their desire to lift others up and their loyal, patriotic and steadfast dedication to their Caddo Parish communities, state, and nation.

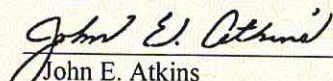
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Caddo Parish Commission, meeting in legal and regular session this 17th day of March, 2022 that it does hereby proclaim March 18th, 2022 as:

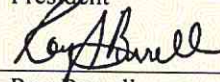
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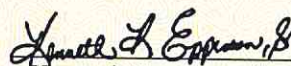
in Caddo Parish, Louisiana, and urges all citizens to join with the Parish in recognition of this important month.

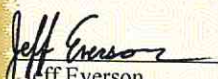
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