

# The Parish of St. Charles

June 20, 2016

## IN RECOGNITION

**WHEREAS**, Special Olympics Louisiana is a state-wide organization that changes lives by promoting understanding, acceptance, and inclusion between people with and without intellectual disabilities; and,

**WHEREAS**, the 2016 Special Olympics Louisiana State Summer Games was held in Hammond, Louisiana on May 20<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>; and,

**WHEREAS**, the competition hosts Track & Field, Bocce, and Volleyball events for nearly 800 Special Olympics Louisiana athletes who qualified for this event in various local and area competitions; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Special Olympics Athletes 4 X 100 Relay competition was held at Southeastern Louisiana University in Hammond, Louisiana on Sunday, May 22, 2016; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Bayouland St. Charles Relay and Unified Relay Teams are avid participants in the St. Charles Parish Recreation Special Olympics Program; and,

**WHEREAS**, members of the St. Charles Parish Council and the Parish President wish to recognize the outstanding performances of the Bayouland St. Charles Relay Teams, the Unified Relay Team Partners, and their Coaches.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT WE, THE MEMBERS OF THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL, AND THE PARISH PRESIDENT, DO HEREBY RECOGNIZE**

### THE BAYOULAND ST. CHARLES SPECIAL OLYMPIC RELAY TEAMS

*"Let me win, but if I cannot win,  
let me be brave in the attempt."*

Reed Bates, Thomas Bourgeois, Logan Boynton, Ron Davis  
Joseph Guichard, Matthew Guichard, Emily Hinrichs,  
Briana Lavin, Chad Moran, Thomas Roberts, Jerrod Turner

Unified Relay Partners: Jack Chapman, Thomas Chapman,  
Eric Hebert, Alex Miller, Gracie Rouchex, London Thomas  
and Alternate Kiel Bates

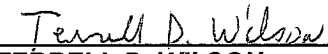
Head Coaches: Kenny Guedry, Brian Hinrichs, Mollie Picou  
and Ronnie Theriot

Assistant Coaches: Rick Dupont, Annie Gaubert,  
Laurie Guichard, Judi Hotard, Kristine Miller, and  
Kelly Roberts


*"PARISH OF PLENTY"  
created in 1807 from the county of the  
"German Coast", a parish of  
unprecedented economic and social  
development, known for its  
hospitality, rural living and sporting  
opportunities... with the added  
distinction of being located  
on both sides of the  
Mighty Mississippi River.*

  
LARRY COCHRAN  
PARISH PRESIDENT

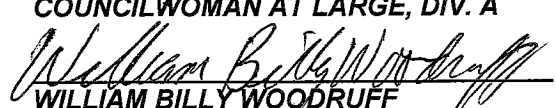
  
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