

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, a safe and adequate blood supply is vital to the health and well-being of our community, saving countless lives each year through transfusions needed for surgeries, cancer treatments, trauma care, childbirth, and chronic illnesses; and,

WHEREAS, volunteer blood donors are essential to maintaining this life-saving resource, generously giving of their time and compassion to help ensure that blood is available whenever and wherever it is needed; and,

WHEREAS, every two seconds, someone in the United States requires a blood transfusion, yet only a small percentage of eligible donors give blood each year, creating an ongoing need for greater community participation; and,

WHEREAS, the residents, businesses, schools, and civic organizations of St. Charles Parish have long demonstrated a spirit of generosity, compassion, and civic responsibility by supporting one another in times of need; and

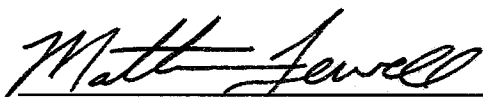
WHEREAS, encouraging blood donations among St. Charles Parish residents helps strengthen our local healthcare system, supports hospitals across the region, and contributes to the safety and resilience of our communities; and,

WHEREAS, St. Charles Parish recognizes the extraordinary contributions of volunteer blood donors and calls upon all citizens to participate in this life-saving act of kindness.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, WE THE MEMBERS OF THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL AND THE PARISH PRESIDENT, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE MONTH OF JANUARY, AS

“NATIONAL BLOOD DONOR MONTH”

IN ST. CHARLES PARISH AND ENCOURAGE ALL CITIZENS TO RECOGNIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF NATIONAL BLOOD DONOR MONTH.



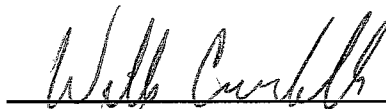
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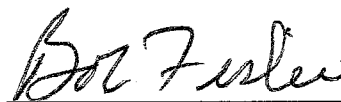
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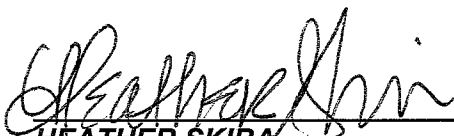
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