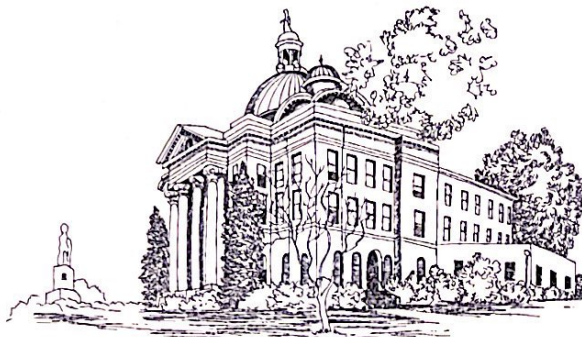


Proclamation



WHEREAS, fatal and non-fatal drownings are silent events that can occur in as little as two inches of water. Drownings can occur in any body of water, including bathtubs, pails, swimming pools, and spas;

WHEREAS, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) reports that drownings are a leading cause of injury or death for children ages 1 to 14; killing more children from 1-4 years old than anything else except birth defects; and


WHEREAS, education in water safety helps prevent drowning and water-related injuries, it is crucial to the lives of Fort Bend County Residents of all ages that everyone understands and follows water safety rules; and


WHEREAS, the Fort Bend County Emergency Medical Service has formed the Drowning Prevention Coalition whose initial membership agencies include the Fort Bend County Judge's Office, Fort Bend County Emergency Medical Services, the Fort Bend County Health & Human Services Department, the Fort Bend County Office of Homeland Security & Emergency Management, the Sugar Land Fire-Emergency Medical Service Department, and the Houston Swim Club.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that I, KP George, County Judge & The Commissioners' Court of Fort Bend County, Texas, do hereby proclaim the month of May as

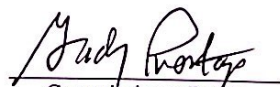
WATER SAFETY AWARENESS MONTH in Fort Bend County, Texas


County Judge, KP George


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Andy Meyers

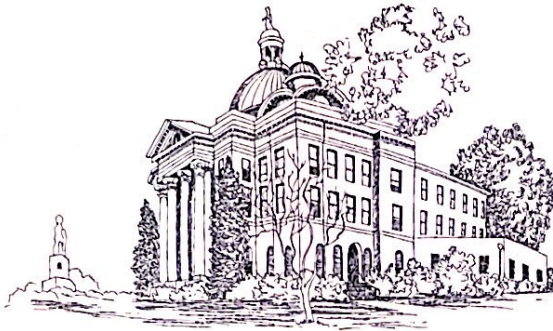



Commissioner Pct. 2
Grady Prestage


Commissioner Pct. 4
Ken DeMerchant

Fort Bend County Commissioner's Court

Proclamation



WHEREAS, Memorial Day is the day that we pause to actively remember the heroes, our family members, loved ones, neighbors, and friends who have fallen while defending our freedom and liberty; and

WHEREAS, this is the day that Americans reconnect with their history by honoring those who gave their lives for the ideals that we cherish; and

WHEREAS, Memorial Day is not to honor war, but to honor those who sacrificed to protect our great nation; and

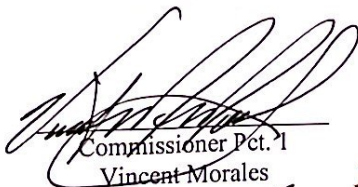
WHEREAS, we honor and recognize these men and women for their values, selfless service, integrity, and courage; but most importantly, we honor these people for their willingness to put themselves in harm's way for us and all we hold dear; and

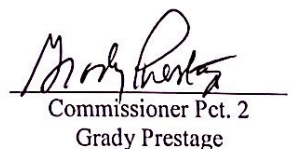
WHEREAS, today in America, we are privileged to enjoy the blessings of democracy and freedom, earned in great part by the sacrifice of those we honor today; and

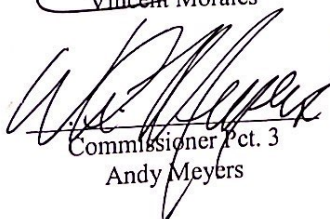
NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that I, KP George, County Judge and The Commissioners' Court of Fort Bend County, Texas salute all who have fallen in defense of liberty, and express our sincere appreciation for their contributions to our great nation and recognize Monday, May 31, 2021, as

Memorial Day in Fort Bend County, Texas


County Judge, KP George


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Vincent Morales


Commissioner Pct. 2
Grady Prestage


Commissioner Pct. 3
Andy Meyers




Commissioner Pct. 4
Ken DeMerchant

Proclamation



WHEREAS, Dr. Thomas Randle earned his Bachelor's and Master's degrees from Texas A&M University and a Doctorate from Oklahoma State University. He has more than 40 years of experience in education, including 26 years as a superintendent of schools; and

WHEREAS, under his leadership, the Lamar Consolidated Independent School District is known around the state for academic excellence, having been twice recognized by Texas School Business magazine for its best practices, earning the H-E-B Excellence in Education Award for Best Large District, and having four campuses named National Blue Ribbon Schools; and

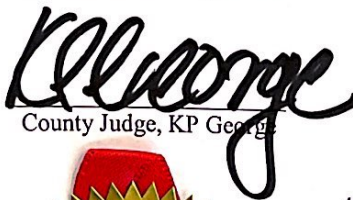
WHEREAS, since Dr. Randle's arrived in Lamar CISD, the District has grown its facilities, student enrollment, and staff — making Lamar CISD the second-largest employer in Fort Bend County; and


WHEREAS Dr. Randle has many other accomplishments including a strong record of industry leadership and service, including having twice been named the Region 4 Superintendent of the Year.


NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that I, KP George, County Judge & The Commissioners' Court of Fort Bend County, Texas, do hereby recognize on this 25 day of May 2021,

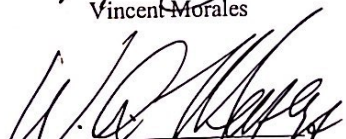
DR. THOMAS RANDLE

for his significant professional achievements, outstanding leadership, and years of service and herewith expresses its sincere gratitude for the invaluable contributions he has made to the Lamar Consolidated Independent School District in Fort Bend County, Texas

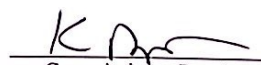

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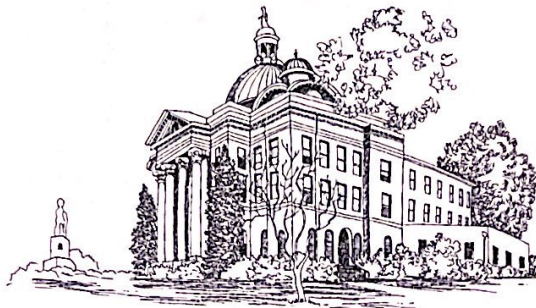

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Andy Meyers




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Ken DeMerchant

Proclamation



WHEREAS, Gertha Murphy was born and raised in the rural area of Chapel Hill, Washington County, Texas. She was the fourth child of seven children born to her parents, Mary Camilia Franklin Lockett and Benjamin Harrison Lockett; and

WHEREAS, Gertha Murphy graduated from Jack Yates High School in 1932. She pursued her dream to attain a higher education by attending Saint Phillip's Junior College, where she completed her Associate Degree in Education; and

WHEREAS, after completing junior college, she married, her first husband Leroy, and raised seven children. She worked in Civil Service for 27 years and earned a Bachelor's Degree in 1980 from Incarnate Word College. Once she graduated, she found passion in teaching pre-kindergarten until she was well into her eighties; and

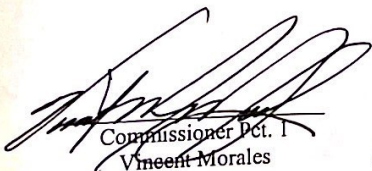
WHEREAS she is a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Gertha has received many awards and recognition including being inducted into the Educator's Hall of Fame and honored as the oldest living graduate of Saint Phillip's Junior College.

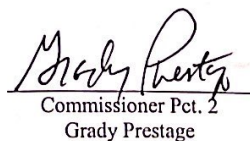
NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that I, KP George, County Judge & The Commissioners' Court of Fort Bend County, Texas, do hereby proclaim the 25, day of May 2021, as

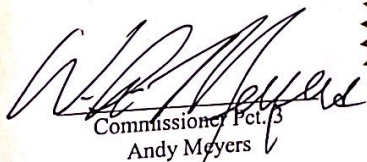
GERTHA MURPHY DAY

in Fort Bend County, Texas on the occasion of her 108th
Birthday, with sincere congratulations and best wishes for many more happy,
productive years


County Judge, KP George


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Office of the County Judge
Fort Bend County, Texas

Proclamation



WHEREAS, the safety and security of the citizens of Fort Bend County, TX are of utmost importance, rapid control of bleeding at the scene of multiple casualty events such as mass shootings, terrorist attacks, motor vehicle accidents, and/or industrial accidents can be life-saving and up to 20% of trauma deaths could be prevented each year with effective bleeding control; and


WHEREAS, studies have shown that by learning bleeding control techniques the public may become trained, equipped, and empowered to help in a bleeding emergency before professional help arrives; and

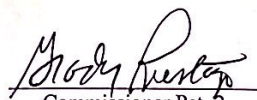
WHEREAS, the American College of Surgeons, The Hartford Consensus, The Committee on Tactical Combat Casualty Care, the National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians, and the SouthEast Texas Regional Advisory Council have partnered with Stop the Bleed Initiatives to ensure that bystanders have the skills and knowledge to provide immediate bleeding control to victims at the scene of an incident;

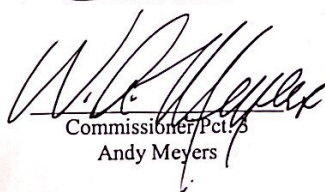
NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that I, KP George, County Judge & The Commissioners' Court of Fort Bend County, Texas, do hereby proclaim the month of May as

STOP THE BLEED MONTH in Fort Bend County, Texas


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