

WHEREAS, the 56th Anniversary of the National Fair Housing Law, Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, during the month of April, is an occasion for all Americans – individually and collectively – to rededicate themselves to the principle of freedom from housing discrimination whenever it exists.

WHEREAS, this law guarantees for each citizen that critical, personal element of freely of choosing a home; and

WHEREAS, a fair housing law has been passed by the State of Louisiana, and implementation of the law requires the positive commitment, involvement, and support of each of our citizens; and

WHEREAS, the department and agencies of the State of Louisiana are to provide leadership in the effort to make fair housing not just an idea, but an ideal for all our citizens; and

WHEREAS, barriers that diminish the rights and limit the options of any citizen to freely choose a home will ultimately diminish the rights and limit the options of all...

NOW, **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, THAT THE Grant Parish Police Jury does hereby proclaim the month of April 2024, as FAIR HOUSING MONTH in the Parish of Grant, and do hereby encourage all citizens to abide by the letter and spirit of the Fair Housing Law, and ask the citizens of this parish to join in reaffirming the obligation and commitment to fair housing opportunities for all.

Jessie Pace

Parish Manager - Sec/Treas. Grant Parish Police Jury Mark Ball

President

Grant Parish Police Jury

STATE OF LOUISIANA PARISH OF GRANT

I, <u>Jessie Pace</u>, Parish Manager of the Grant Parish Police Jury do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Proclamation adopted by the said Police Jury in regular session on the 14th day of March, 2024.

GIVEN UNDR MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE and Seal of Office on this the 14th day of March, 2024.

Jessie Pace

Parish Manager -Sec/ Treas.