

## PROCLAMATION

**HEREAS**, twenty-four years ago, on September 11, 2001, America was suddenly and brutally attacked by terrorists, and thousands of innocent Americans were killed and injured as a result of these attacks, including the passengers and crew of four aircraft, workers in the World Trade Center and in the Pentagon, rescue workers, and bystanders; and

\*\*HEREAS\*, these cowardly acts targeted symbols of American strength and success, and were clearly intended to intimidate the nation and weaken our resolve; and

**HEREAS**, these horrific events affected all Americans, but with courage, America carried on with the regular activities of our lives; terrorism was not allowed to break the spirit of the American people; and in fact, the American spirit was never stronger than after that day; and

**HEREAS**, all citizens of Charlotte County are urged to observe a moment of silence on the twenty second anniversary of September 11th to honor all those who were lost that day; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that September 11, 2025, shall be known in all of Charlotte County as

## Patriot Day and National Day of Remembrance

and all residents are encouraged to celebrate our patriotism by displaying their American Flags at half-staff in honor of those who lost their lives and their families.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED this 9th day of September 2025

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHARLOTTE COUNTY, FLORIDA

ATTEST:	By
Roger D. Eaton, Clerk of Circuit Court and Ex-Officio Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners	APPROVED AS TO FORM:
	Hector Flores, County Administrator