

# PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Brazoria County has an interest in supporting children entering the foster care system; and

WHEREAS, in the instance children are removed from their homes out of concern for their welfare, they are usually brought to the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services offices to await placement with a foster family, which can range from several hours to nearly a full day; and

WHEREAS, those children often have no items in their possession and may be scared, lonely, hungry, and in need of clean clothes, Isaiah 117 House provides a comforting home where those children are brought to wait in a safe and friendly environment and provided clean clothes, smiles, toys, and warm blankets; and

WHEREAS, the Isaiah 117 House is a welcoming space that allows children to receive the comfort and care they need while the Department of Family and Protective Services staff can do the necessary paperwork and identify a good foster placement; and

WHEREAS, Isaiah 117 House is working towards changing the way foster care begins.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Brazoria County Commissioners Court does hereby proclaim the day of January 17, 2024 as

## **ISAIAH 117 HOUSE DAY**

in Brazoria County Texas.

APPROVED this 9th day of January, 2024.

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Brazoria Count Judge

L. M. "Matt" Sebesta, Jr.

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Commissioner, Precinct 1

Donald "Dude" Payne

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Commissioner, Precinct 2

Ryan Cade

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Commissioner, Precinct 3

Stacy L. Adams

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Commissioner, Precinct 4

David Linder

