

JOHNSON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT **Commissioners Court**



JAN 27 2020

Presented

RICK BAILEY
Commissioner Pct. #1

ROGER HARMON
County Judge

JERRY D. STRINGER
Commissioner Pct. #3

KENNY HOWELL
Commissioner Pct. #2

Carla Hester
Assistant to Commissioner's Court

LARRY WOOLLEY
Commissioner Pct. #4

JOHNSON COUNTY

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PROCLAMATION

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STATE OF TEXAS

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GRANDVIEW ZEBRA FOOTBALL DAY

WHEREAS, The Grandview Zebra Football Team won the State 3AD1 Championship in 2018; an unprecedented occurrence for a Johnson County high school football team.

WHEREAS, The 2019 Zebras under the direction of Head Coach Ryan Ebner were plagued by numerous injuries during their entire season however they remained resilient and maintained an impressive 4-0 pre-district record and a 5-1 district record only losing to Whitney on November 1, 2019.

WHEREAS, This record qualified the Zebras to participate in the state 3AD1 playoffs winning every game in the bracket recording wins against Rockdale (42-7), East Chambers (43-29), Cameron Yoe (45-14), Troy (34-13), and Columbus (41-21) in the state semi-finals rounding out a 14-1 record.

WHEREAS, This record qualified the Zebras to play in the state finals on December 19, 2019 against Pottsboro marking their second consecutive state finals appearance, a rare and historic accomplishment.

WHEREAS, On December 19, 2019 at AT&T stadium in Arlington Texas, it happened; the ZEBRA NATION supported the Grandview Zebras in the Texas state championship game against the Pottsboro Cardinals. Although in the last 99 years, out of 463 state championships there have only been 55 teams to win the state title in consecutive years, the Grandview Zebras did just that by defeating the Cardinals 42-35 in a hard fought battle in front of over 20,000 spectators marking the second ever outright state championship in Johnson County history. This win as well as every other game was played and conducted in a very humble, dignified and professional manner by the Zebras. This team is proclaimed to be one of the most

successful Class 3AD1 teams in the entire state this decade by reaching the 3rd round in the state playoffs 4 times.

WHEREAS, In another unprecedented event, Grandview High School Junior Dane Jentsch was awarded the Most Valuable Player on both the offense and defense for the second consecutive year. In a true act of sportsmanship, Jentsch then presented the Offensive MVP Award to his fellow player Tremayne Gullatte who scored 5 touchdowns tying a state record.


WHEREAS, This team's accomplishments have brought positive light to not only the team and coaches, their families, Grandview I.S.D. and the Grandview community, but also to Johnson County.

While every day is a great day to be a Zebra, today the Commissioners Court of Johnson County does **HEREBY RESOLVE** and **PROCLAIM** the 27th of January, 2020 as:

“GRANDVIEW ZEBRA FOOTBALL DAY”

in Johnson County and encourage all citizens to appreciate and recognize ZEBRA NATION'S courage, determination and dedication.

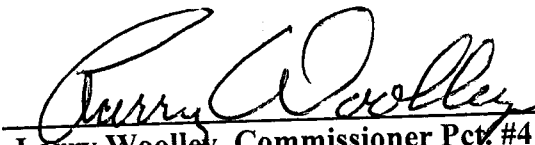
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we hereto set our hand and cause the Seal of Johnson County, Texas to be affixed on this the 27th day of January 2020.


Roger Harmon, Johnson County Judge


Rick Bailey, Commissioner Pct. #1


Kenny Howell, Commissioner Pct. #2


Jerry D. Stringer, Commissioner Pct. #3


Larry Woolley, Commissioner Pct. #4


ATTEST: Becky Ivey, County Clerk

Proclamation:
Grandview Zebra Football Day
CC: 01-27-2020

