



JOHNSON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

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COUNTY OF JOHNSON

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PROCLAMATION

PROCLAMATION RECOGNIZING THE 2025 GRANDVIEW HIGH SCHOOL LADY ZEBRAS SOFTBALL TEAM – 3A DIVISION I STATE CHAMPIONS

WHEREAS, the Johnson County Commissioners Court proudly recognizes and celebrates the achievements of outstanding student-athletes who exemplify excellence, determination, and sportsmanship; and

WHEREAS, the 2025 Grandview High School Lady Zebras Softball Team displayed unmatched dedication, discipline, and teamwork throughout an extraordinary season, culminating in capturing the **UIL Class 3A Division I State Championship**—the **first softball state championship in school history**; and

WHEREAS, the Lady Zebras compiled an incredible **35-3 overall record**, going a perfect **10-0 in district play** and **10-0 in the playoffs**, and defeating Whitesboro by a score of **9-3** in the state championship game on **May 29, 2025**; and

WHEREAS, the team faced and conquered the **toughest schedule in Class 3A**, according to MaxPreps, and **outscored opponents by a staggering margin of 426 to 46** throughout the season; and

WHEREAS, the 2025 Lady Zebras finished ranked **6th in the state across all classifications**, and earned a third consecutive appearance at the state tournament, setting a new standard for Grandview High School softball; and

WHEREAS, under the exemplary leadership of **Head Coach Leigh Ebner**, in her fourth year at Grandview after 22 years at Hill College, the Lady Zebras demonstrated championship-level coaching, strategy, and development; and

WHEREAS, the team received exceptional contributions from student-athletes including:

- **Junior pitcher Madi Doty**, named **State Championship Game MVP**,
- **Freshman catcher Kenna Collins**,
- **Sophomore first baseman KJ Hubbard**,
- **Senior shortstop Jaley James**,
- **Junior outfielder Sydney Mann**, and

- Senior outfielder Kat Gordy,
all named to the All-Tournament Team; and

WHEREAS, the outstanding talents of these players including:

- Madi Doty
- Kylie Grafa
- Jaley James
- Sydney Mann

all named to the Texas Girls Coaches Association All-State Team; and

WHEREAS, the Lady Zebras were anchored by strong leadership from their six seniors: Kylie Grafa, Jaley James, Claire Baker, Kat Gordy, Jamie Snider, and Marlie Caudle whose experience and commitment elevated the entire team; and

WHEREAS, in a testament to their academic dedication, every varsity player was named Academic All-District, proving that these champions excel in both athletics and academics;

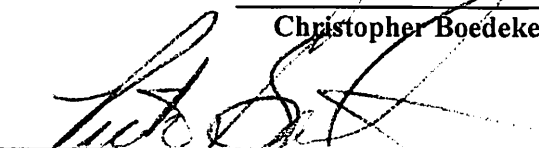
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Johnson County Commissioners Court hereby commends and congratulates the 2025 Grandview High School Lady Zebras Softball Team for their remarkable season and historic achievement in winning the UIL Class 3A Division I State Championship.

BE IT FURTHER PROCLAIMED that June 23, 2025 shall be known as:

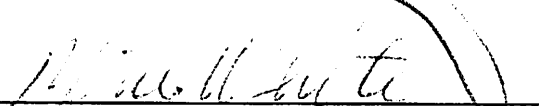
GRANDVIEW LADY ZEBRAS STATE CHAMPIONS DAY


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and caused the Seal of Johnson County to be affixed this 23rd day of June, 2025.


Christopher Boedeker, Johnson County Judge


Rick Bailey, Commissioner Pct. 1


Kenny Howell, Commissioner Pct. 2


Mike White, Commissioner Pct. 3


Larry Woolley, Commissioner Pct. 4


ATTEST: April Long, County Clerk