

County Commissioners of Charles County

PROCLAMATION 2021-44

CONSTITUTION WEEK

WHEREAS, September 17, 2021 marks the two hundred and thirty-fourth anniversary of the drafting of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; and

WHEREAS, Constitution Week is the commemoration of America's most important document. It is celebrated annually during the week of September 17-23; and

WHEREAS, celebration of the Constitution was started by the Daughters of the American Revolution; and

WHEREAS: it is fitting and proper to accord official recognition to this magnificent document and its memorable anniversary; and to the patriotic celebrations which will commemorate the occasion; and

WHEREAS, the aims of celebrating Constitution Week are to emphasize citizens' responsibilities for protecting and defending the Constitution and to inform people that it is the basis for America's great heritage and foundation for our way of life; and

WHEREAS, public law 915 guarantees the issuing of a proclamation each year by the President of the United States of America designating September 17 through September 23 as Constitution Week.

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHARLES COUNTY, MARYLAND, do hereby proclaim the week of September 17-23, 2021 as CONSTITUTION WEEK in Charles County, and ask our residents to reaffirm the ideals the Framers of the constitution had in 1787 by vigilantly protecting the freedoms guaranteed to us through this guardian of our liberties, remembering that lost rights may never be regained.

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