



PROCLAMATION

Bill of Rights Day December 15th, 2018

WHEREAS, on December 15, 1791, the founding fathers of the United States of America ratified a document that contained amendments to the Constitution that would become the cornerstone of the freedoms, privileges and rights that we enjoy today; and

WHEREAS, the first ten amendments of the Constitution of the United States of America would become known as The Bill of Rights; and

WHEREAS, these amendments limit the power of the Federal Government and guarantee each citizen – life, liberty, justice, property and the pursuit of happiness; and

WHEREAS, the Bill of Rights, which enshrines personal liberty and human dignity, was ratified into the United States Constitution on the fifteenth day of December in 1791; and

WHEREAS, on this 227th anniversary of the ratification of the Bill of Rights, all people of the country continue to live and prosper because of the freedoms and privileges insured by this document.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, by the Jefferson County Board of Commissioners, of the state of Colorado, that December 15, 2018, be known as Bill of Rights Day in honor of the ratification of this important document and encourage all Jefferson County residents to reflect on this significant and important event.

Casey Tighe, Chair

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