

## **PROCLAMATION**

WHEREAS, Louisiana's retired teachers have devoted their careers to the

education and training of tens of thousands of Louisiana's

youth; and

WHEREAS, Louisiana's retired teachers have provided job and social skills

training for adults throughout the state; and

WHEREAS, Louisiana's retired teachers have rendered valuable service in

diverse leadership roles to their communities and institutions throughout their careers and continue to render such services as

retirees; and

WHEREAS, Louisiana's retired teachers represent the profession, which is

given the basic responsibility for launching the careers of state and national leaders, and for laying the foundation for the welfare

of all members of our society; and

WHEREAS, Louisiana's retired teachers have toiled ceaselessly to improve the

quality of life in the state and nation, often in less than adequate

circumstances and for less than adequate pay; and

WHEREAS, Louisiana's retired teachers represent a tremendous pool of

experience and training which remains dedicated to the betterment

of society everywhere; and

WHEREAS, Louisiana's retired teachers represent a loyal, patriotic and

concerned citizenry, which provides a dedicated and dependable

support to the leaders in our communities, state and nation now.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bel Edwards, Governor of the State of Louisiana, do

hereby proclaim March 17, 2022 as

RETIRED TEACHERS DAY

in the State of Louisiana.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand officially and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Louisiana, at the Capitol, in the City of Baton Rouge, on this 17th day of March A. D., 2022.

John Bel Edwards
Governor