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Daughters of the American Revolution

THREE FLAGS CHAPTER

August 2, 2021

The Honorable Kelly Garrett Mayor, City of Lathrup Village 27400 Southfield Road Lathrup Village, Michigan 48076

Dear Mayor Garrett,

On behalf of the Three Flags Chapter of the DAR, I would like to request that a proclamation be made by the City of Lathrup Village for the celebration of Constitution Week, September 17th through the 23rd 2021.

2021 marks the two hundred and thirty-fourth anniversary of the drafting of the Constitution of the United States, our nation's foundation document. In 1955, the Daughters of the American Revolution petitioned the United States Congress for the establishment of a week long observance of the September 17, 1787 signing of the Constitution by the delegates to the Philadelphia Convention. This observance was signed into law by President Eisenhower in 1956. The members of the Three Flags Chapter, NSDAR believe that encouraging the education of adults and children about our U.S. Constitution is an important aspect of civic education. In these rather unusual times in our nation's history, we feel that a knowledge and understanding of the document that is the blueprint of our democratic republican form of government is especially important.

It would be most appreciated if you would consider enacting a proclamation to commemorate this important event. I enclose a template that can be used as a sample proclamation. I am happy to provide any additional information you may need concerning Constitution Week. My contact information is below.

Yours, truly,

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