



A Proclamation by the Mayor

WHEREAS, The City of La Vernia's future strength depends on providing a high-quality education to all students; and

WHEREAS, teacher quality matters more to student achievement than any other school-related factor; and

WHEREAS, teachers spend countless hours preparing lesson plans and supporting students; and

WHEREAS, teachers in the City of La Vernia have demonstrated great resilience, adaptability, and creativity during the COVID-19 crisis; and

WHEREAS, our community recognizes and supports its teachers in educating the children of this community; and

WHEREAS, #TeachersCan is a statewide movement supported by more than 150 partnering businesses and organizations committed to elevating the teaching profession and honoring the critical role teachers play in the success of Texas,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of La Vernia City Council joins #TeachersCan and its partnering entities across Texas in celebrating World Teachers' Day and proclaims October 5, 2024, to be Teachers' Day in the City of La Vernia; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of La Vernia City Council encourages members of our community to personally express appreciation to our teachers and display a light blue ribbon outside your homes or businesses the week of October 5 as a symbol of support for our educators.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of La Vernia to be affixed this 19th day of September 2024.

Mayor Poore

City Secretary

