



## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, December 15 is Bill of Rights Day which commemorates the ratification of the first ten amendments to the U.S. Constitution; and

**WHEREAS**, these amendments protect our most fundamental rights—freedom of speech, protest, and conscience, and guarantees our equal protection under the law; and

**WHEREAS**, during the 150th anniversary commemorations in 1941, Congress passed a joint resolution authorizing the President, “to issue a proclamation designating December 15, 1941, as Bill of Rights Day, calling upon officials of the Government to display the flag of the United States on all Government buildings on that day, and inviting the people of the United States to observe the day with appropriate ceremonies and prayer.”; and

**WHEREAS**, since 1962, the President has acknowledged Bill of Rights Day every year. The proclamation was often paired with a proclamation on Human Rights Day and Week which commemorates the United Nations General Assembly’s adoption of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights in 1948.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Dr. Larry Wallace Jr., Mayor of the City of Manor, Texas, and on behalf of the Manor City Council, do hereby proclaim Tuesday, December 15, 2020, as:

### *“Bill of Right’s Day”*

in the City of Manor, Texas.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Manor to be affixed this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December 2020.

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Dr. Larry Wallace Jr., Mayor  
City of Manor