



**A PROCLAMATION IN RECOGNITION OF
KEVIN DEVANNEY FOR HIS COMMITMENT
AND DEDICATION TO THE TOWN OF PINEVILLE**

WHEREAS, the Town of Pineville would like to recognize Kevin Devanney, for his commitment and dedication to the Town of Pineville; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Devanney was raised in St. Louis, Missouri, graduated from Benedictine College in Atchison, Kansas, and moved to North Carolina to continue his career in travel and hospitality; and

WHEREAS, he purchased and renovated 316 Main Street and proudly started Incentive Travel Solutions in 2014; and

WHEREAS, over the next decade, while Kevin traveled to over 106 countries with his corporate travel company, he continued to make a footprint in the Pineville community. Kevin purchased and renovated 330 Main Street and 322 Main Street; and

WHEREAS, during the COVID pandemic of 2020, Kevin pivoted from travel, and to the benefit of our community, created Margaux's Wine, Pizza & Market. Kevin went on to purchase and create The Garrison Restaurant at 314 Main Street. Today, both restaurants help make up the centerpiece of our historic community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mayor Jack Edwards, do hereby recognize Kevin Devanney for his entrepreneurial leadership. I further urge the citizens of Pineville to join in thanking him for his years of dedication and service to the Town of Pineville.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the **GREAT SEAL OF PINEVILLE** to be affixed on this 14th day of November in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-three.

Mayor Jack Edwards