



WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA

LIVE WITH PURPOSE

RESOLUTION NO. 3085

WHEREAS, since 1992 Wreaths Across America has been honoring our Veterans during the month of December with the donation, transportation, and placement of wreaths on the graves of our fallen heroes buried at Arlington National Cemetery; and

WHEREAS, more than one million wreaths have been delivered to locations in every State and overseas, including national cemeteries and veterans' memorials; and

WHEREAS, by the time the final wreath has been placed on December 20th this annual event has helped spread the message of the importance of Remembering our fallen heroes, Honoring those who serve, and Teaching our children about the sacrifices made by our veterans and their families to preserve the freedoms we hold dear; and

WHEREAS, remembering President Ronald Reagan's statement, "Freedom is never more than one generation away from extinction. We didn't pass it to our children in our bloodstream. It must be fought for, protected, and handed on for them to do the same, or one day we will spend our sunset years telling our children and our children's children what it was once like in the United States, where men were free;" and

WHEREAS, many of our American men and women, serving in all branches of the military, are away from their homes and families this Holiday Season, prepared each day to keep our country safe.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Campbell County Board of Commissioners, Campbell County, Wyoming do hereby proclaim December 14-20, 2024, as "Wreaths Across America Week," and recognizes its mission to Remember, Honor, and Teach. This year's theme is "Live with Purpose" which encourages everyone to lend their time, talents, and resources to support causes that positively impact your community.

PROCLAIMED this 19th day of November 2024.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
CAMPBELL COUNTY, WYOMING**

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