

Warren County Board of Supervisors

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Law Day is a “day of national dedication to the principles of government under law,” as stated by President Dwight Eisenhower, who established the first nationwide commemoration in 1958, and

WHEREAS, the First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution states: “Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances”, and

WHEREAS, the Fourteenth Amendment incorporates the rights established in the First Amendment to apply to state governments, and

WHEREAS, the Universal Declaration of Human Rights states: “Everyone has the right to freedom of opinion and expression: this right includes freedom to hold opinions without interference and to seek, receive and impart information and ideas through any media and regardless of frontiers”, and

WHEREAS, the 2019 Law Day theme enables us to reflect on the way that freedom of speech and freedom of the press provide the foundation for our free society, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that I, Ronald Conover, Chairman of the Warren County Board of Supervisors, do hereby proclaim May 1, 2019 as

“LAW DAY IN WARREN COUNTY”

and urge the citizens, schools, businesses, legal professionals and news media of Warren County to use this occasion to preserve and strengthen the rule of law.

DATED: APRIL 19, 2019



**RONALD F. CONOVER, CHAIRMAN
WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**