



Proclamation

RECOGNIZING MAY 8, 2020 AS COVID-19 VICTIMS REMEMBRANCE DAY

WHEREAS, the Novel Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) has infected more than three million Americans resulting in over 60,000 deaths so far; and,

WHEREAS, the Novel Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) has infected more than 6,000 Iowans resulting in over 150 deaths so far; and,

WHEREAS, the Novel Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) has infected more than 200 Scott County residents resulting in five deaths so far; and,

WHEREAS, the adverse economic impact of the Novel Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) has resulted in significant financial misfortune to the people of Scott County and across the nation; and,

WHEREAS, the Catholic Diocese of Davenport, Edwards Congregational United Church of Christ, Hope United Church of Christ, One Human Family, Metropolitan Community Church, Muslim Community of the Quad Cities, Progressive Action for the Common Good, Quad City Interfaith, QC Pride, St. Mark's Lutheran Church, St. Mary's Monastery, St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Temple Emmanuel, Third Missionary Baptist Church, Unitarian Universalist Congregation of the Quad Cities and many other organizations representing people of faith and goodwill have chosen to remember the victims of the Novel Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) with the ringing of bells and other instruments of sound followed by a moment of prayer or silent reflection at precisely 3 p.m. on May 8 to signal support and solidarity with those suffering from the COVID-19 epidemic.

BE IT RESOLVED BY the Scott County Board of Supervisors as follows:

Section 1. That the Board of Supervisors does hereby proclaim
May 8, 2020 COVID-19 Victims Remembrance Day;

Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.



Tony Knobbe, Chairman
Scott County Board of Supervisors

Date 5-5-20