

Whereas, the American Legion is the largest wartime veterans service organization, and

Whereas, American Legion Lockett Cochran Post 296, was founded on March 25, 1921 in Mineola Texas, and

Whereas, American Legion Post 296 celebrates this long history of service in our city by advocating patriotism, honor, promoting strong national security and continued devotion to our fellow service members and veterans; and

Whereas, American Legion Post 296 each year hosts the Memorial Day Parade and co-host the Veteran's Day parade, and

Whereas, the oldest organization in Mineola, the American Legion Post 296 will celebrate 100 years of distinguished and visionary beginnings on March 25, 2021 at a special meeting at American Legion Post 296, at 2015 US-HWY 80, Mineola Texas; so

Now, Therefore, I, Kevin White, Mayor of the City of Mineola, Texas do therefore declare Thursday, March 25, 2021 as:

“AMERICAN LEGION POST 296 OF MINEOLA DAY”

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have here unto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Mineola, Texas, to be affixed this 22rd Day of March 2021.