



PROCLAMATION

Honoring the Texas Master Naturalist Brazos Valley Chapter on Their 20th Anniversary

- WHEREAS** the Brazos Valley Master Naturalists have been dedicated to serving our community for 20 years, sharing their knowledge, passion, and expertise in conservation, natural resource management, and environmental education to promote the stewardship of Texas' natural areas and natural resources; and
- WHEREAS** since their establishment, Brazos Valley Master Naturalists have played a vital role in educating the public through workshops, citizen science projects, habitat restoration, and outreach programs, fostering a deeper appreciation for Texas' native ecosystems among residents of all ages; and
- WHEREAS** their volunteer efforts have contributed to the conservation of wildlife and native plants, the restoration of critical habitats, and the promotion of sustainable land stewardship practices, making Brazos County a more resilient and ecologically rich place to live; and
- WHEREAS** the Brazos Valley Master Naturalist program, in partnership with the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, continues to inspire and empower individuals through science-based education, conservation action, and community engagement; and
- WHEREAS** on this occasion of their 20th anniversary, we recognize and commend the dedication, hard work, and invaluable contributions of the Brazos Valley Master Naturalists in enriching the lives of our residents and protecting our natural resources for future generations.

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Commissioners Court of Brazos County, do hereby proclaim April 22, 2025, as

BRAZOS VALLEY MASTER NATURALISTS' DAY

in Brazos County and encourage all citizens to celebrate and support the ongoing efforts of this outstanding organization.

Duane Peters, County Judge

Commissioner Bentley Nettles, Pct. 1

Commissioner Fred Brown, Pct. 3

Commissioner Chuck Konderla, Pct. 2

Commissioner Wanda J. Watson, Pct. 4