



Town of Lexington, Massachusetts

SELECT BOARD OFFICE

PROCLAMATION

Whereas: our Nation's Founders, in order to secure the blessings of liberty for themselves and their posterity, did ordain and establish a Constitution for the United States of America; and

Whereas: it is of the greatest importance that all citizens fully understand the provisions and principles contained in the Constitution in order to effectively support, preserve and defend it against all enemies; and

Whereas: the two hundred and thirty seventh anniversary of the signing of the Constitution provides a historic opportunity for all Americans to remember the achievements of the Framers of the Constitution and the rights, privileges, and responsibilities they afforded us in this unique document; and

Whereas: the freedoms guaranteed to American citizens should be celebrated by appropriate ceremonies and activities during Constitution Week, September 17 through 23 as designated by proclamation of the President of the United States of America in accordance with Public Law 915.

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, THE SELECT BOARD of Lexington, Massachusetts, do hereby proclaim the week of September 17 through 23 as

Constitution Week

and urge all citizens to reflect during the week on the many benefits of our Federal Constitution and the privileges and responsibilities of American Citizenship.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have set our hands and caused the seal of Lexington to be affixed herewith on the 9th day of September 2024.

DOUGLAS M. LUCENTE, CHAIR

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