

**IN RECOGNITION OF
THE 75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE ROE FULKERSON MASONIC LODGE**

APRIL 18, 2026

WHEREAS, THE ROE FULKERSON MASONIC LODGE #299 F.&A.M WAS FOUNDED IN HOLLYWOOD, AND RECEIVED ITS OFFICIAL CHARTER FROM THE MOST WORSHIPFUL GRAND LODGE OF FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS OF FLORIDA ON APRIL 18, 1951; AND

WHEREAS, THE ROE FULKERSON MASONIC LODGE WAS NAMED IN HONOR OF DR. ROE PARHAM FULKERSON (1870-1949), ONE OF THE FOUNDING FATHERS OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD WHO DUTIFULLY SERVED THE COMMUNITY AS AN OPTOMETRIST AND MEMBER OF THE FLORIDA STATE LEGISLATURE. DR. FULKERSON WAS ALSO A DISTINGUISHED FREEMASON, PROLIFIC SPEAKER, WRITER, POET, AND A DEDICATED LOCAL COMMUNITY LEADER; AND

WHEREAS, LIKE ITS ESTEEMED NAMESAKE, THE ROE FULKERSON MASONIC LODGE HAS SERVED HOLLYWOOD AS A VIBRANT AND DEDICATED CIVIC ORGANIZATION FOR OVER SEVEN DECADES, FOSTERING THE MASONIC PRINCIPLES OF FAITH, HOPE AND CHARITY. THE LODGE HAS BEEN INSTRUMENTAL IN SUPPORTING THE LOCAL NEIGHBORHOOD WITH CHARITY PROGRAMS, EVENTS, AND CELEBRATIONS THAT UNITE AND UPLIFT PEOPLE OF ALL AGES AND BACKGROUNDS; AND

WHEREAS, THIS 75th ANNIVERSARY MILESTONE OF THE ROE FULKERSON MASONIC LODGE IS A TESTAMENT TO THE DEDICATION OF ITS FOUNDERS, MEMBERS, AND VOLUNTEERS WHO HAVE CONTINUOUSLY SUPPORTED AND STRENGTHENED OUR COMMUNITY; NOW

THEREFORE, JOSH LEVY, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD AND THE HOLLYWOOD CITY COMMISSION HEREBY HONOR AND CONGRATULATE THE ROE FULKERSON MASONIC LODGE OF HOLLYWOOD ON ITS 75th ANNIVERSARY, COMMEND ITS INVALUABLE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE COMMUNITY, AND DO HEREBY PROCLAIM APRIL 18, 2026, AS A DAY IN CELEBRATION OF:

**THE 75th ANNIVERSARY OF
THE ROE FULKERSON MASONIC LODGE**

SIGNED THIS 15th DAY OF
APRIL 2026 AT
HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA

MAYOR JOSH LEVY
VICE MAYOR LINDA HILL ANDERSON
COMMISSIONER CARYL S. SHUHAM
COMMISSIONER TRACI L. CALLARI
COMMISSIONER ADAM GRUBER
COMMISSIONER KEVIN BIEDERMAN
COMMISSIONER IDELMA QUINTANA