

Office of the Mayor  
City of Tallulah, Louisiana

# Proclamation

**W**hereas: Problem gambling is a public health concern affecting millions of Americans of all ages, races, and ethnic backgrounds; and,

**W**hereas: Louisiana offers a myriad of services aimed at treating problem gambling, including educational prevention programs, residential treatment, outpatient counseling and aftercare program, 1-877-770 STOP Helpline and [www.helpforgambling.org](http://www.helpforgambling.org), and;

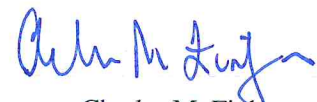
**W**hereas: Numerous individuals, professionals and organizations in Louisiana have dedicated their efforts to the education of the public about problem gambling.

**N**ow, Therefore, I, Charles M. Finlayson, Mayor of the City of Tallulah, do hereby proclaim that the City of Tallulah shall recognize the month of March 2021 as

## PROBLEM GAMBLING AWARENESS MONTH

And encourage and urge all citizens to help spread the message that there is help for problem gamblers through treatment and to support those who are in treatment and recovery and their families.

Signed this 15<sup>th</sup> Day of March, in the year of our LORD, two thousand and twenty one.



Charles M. Finlayson  
Mayor

March 15, 2021

