Jane Castor, Mayor

WHEREAS, the Teamsters Hispanic Caucus Florida Chapter, is affiliated with the International Brotherhood of Teamsters and its objective is to serve the communities in which the chapter members live and work by assisting and promoting the interest of Hispanic Teamsters and the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, and to promote those interests on the local, state, and national levels; and

WHEREAS, the purposes of the Teamsters Hispanic Caucus Florida Chapter include contributing to charitable organizations which serve the communities of the membership, conduct community improvements, award educational scholarships, promote community educational programs, and recognize meritorious community services; and

WHEREAS, Teamsters Hispanic Caucus Florida Chapter was established in 2009, and its mission is to be actively involved in the communities of Florida, and educate them about the International Brotherhood of Teamsters and its vision and goals; and

WHEREAS, to achieve its objectives, the organization established the *Teamsters Hispanic Caucus Florida Chapter Charity Fund* (THCFCCF), and through it, raises awareness and support of the many needs in the neighborhoods in which the members live, and it works towards unity by inclusion, diversity, and equity; and

WHEREAS, the Teamsters Hispanic Caucus Florida Chapter continues to evolve, and it annually contributes thousands of dollars to worthy organizations around Florida including Shriners Hospitals for Children, American Cancer Society, Wounded Warriors Project, HOPE Children's Home, Autism Speaks, International Rescue Committee, the Scholarship Funds of Teamster Local Unions, Metropolitan Ministries, and many more; and

THEREFORE, I, Jane Castor, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the city of Tampa, Florida, do hereby proclaim Saturday, October 21, 2023, as

"TEAMSTERS HISPANIC CAUCUS FLORIDA CHAPTER DAY"

in the city of Tampa, Florida, and urge all citizens to join me in congratulating the organization on all they have accomplished, thanking the members for their contributions to our communities, and in wishing them continued success.

Dated in Tampa, Florida, this 12th day of October 2023.

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