



# *A Proclamation*

## *of the Board of Commissioners of Cheltenham Township*

*Whereas,* Cheltenham Township, with immense respect, honors **Rev. Dr. Gus Roman** on the occasion of his 90th birthday on December 20, 2022; and

*Whereas,* **Rev. Dr. Gus Roman**, a native of New Orleans, LA has been a resident of Wyncote in Cheltenham Township with his wife for over 40 years, has been husband to Eunice for 63 years, and Gus and Eunice are the proud parents of four adult children, five grandchildren, and one great-grandchild; and

*Whereas,* **Rev. Dr. Gus Roman** is the Pastor Emeritus of Canaan Baptist Church in the Germantown section of Philadelphia, where he pastored for over 20 years, and even in retirement Rev. Roman is an active evangelist and speaker spreading the gospel at churches and a passionate mentor to countless preachers locally and throughout the country; and

*Whereas,* **Rev. Dr. Gus Roman** has been a consistent presence in the faith and civic communities of the Delaware Valley for nearly 60 years, including several decades of leadership where he worked with OIC of America in creating training, career, and entrepreneurial opportunities for marginalized communities around the world,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DANIEL B. NORRIS, President of the BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF CHELTENHAM TOWNSHIP, do hereby officially celebrate the 90<sup>th</sup> birthday of **Rev. Dr. Gus Roman** and wish him many more years blessed with health and happiness.

DONE IN ELKINS PARK, PENNSYLVANIA, under our hands and the Seal of the Township of Cheltenham, this twenty-first day of December, A.D., 2022, in the year of the Township of Cheltenham the one hundred twenty-third.

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
OF CHELTENHAM TOWNSHIP**

By: *Daniel B. Norris*  
Daniel B. Norris, President

Attest: *Alyson E. Elliott*  
Alyson Elliott  
Acting Township Manager  
& Secretary