

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, on, February 6, 2005, Randall “Blue” Gay, a native of West Baton Rouge Parish, graduate of Brusly High School in Brusly, Louisiana, again achieved national athletic recognition while playing in Super Bowl XXXIX as a member of the New England Patriots Football Team;

WHEREAS, his athletic abilities and awareness of the word “team” were evident at an early age through participation in community sports activities;

WHEREAS, he was recognized with All State and All District honors in high school athletics;

WHEREAS, he achieved academic and athletic success while attending Louisiana State University as a “team” member of the LSU Fighting Tigers Football team;

WHEREAS, his performance as a professional football player brought him accolades and recognition;

WHEREAS, he made significant contributions to the victory of the New England Patriots as Super Bowl Champions;

WHEREAS, his accomplishments have continued to bring honor and jubilation to the Town of Brusly and to the Brusly/Lukeville/Addis communities; his perseverance and discipline serve as an example to other young people; and his remarkable achievements make us proud to call him “**ONE OF OUR OWN;**”

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Joey Normand, Mayor of the Town of Brusly, do hereby recognize **RANDALL “BLUE” GAY** as a **SHINING STAR** in our community.

Joey Normand, Mayor