



**Town of Zionsville Proclamation
Declaring August 18, 2023 as
SHARI JENKINS DAY**

WHEREAS, Shari Jenkins is the owner of two thriving Zionsville restaurants, Noah Grant's grill house and oyster bar and Tippy Mermaid Conch House & Cocktails; and

WHEREAS, Shari Jenkins opened Salty Cowboy Tequileria in 2014 and later sold it; and

WHEREAS, Shari Jenkins opened Key-West inspired restaurant Tippy Mermaid one month ago on Ernest Hemingway's birthday; and

WHEREAS, Tippy Mermaid showcases her love of Key West and her intrigue with author Ernest Hemingway, former resident of the island city; and

WHEREAS, Tippy Mermaid is located on Zionsville's Main Street in a renovated nearly 140-year old building; and

WHEREAS, Shari Jenkins' businesses survived throughout the 2008 recession, a pandemic and a building fire in the former Noah Grant's site; and

WHEREAS, Shari Jenkins, a long time Zionsville resident, graduated from Zionsville Community High School; and

WHEREAS, Shari Jenkins is a former teacher in IPS and throughout her career and college, she worked in the restaurant industry; and

WHEREAS, Since opening Noah Grant's in 2008, followed by Salty Cowboy and Tippy Mermaid, Shari Jenkins has contributed to the vibrancy and expanding culinary scene of Zionsville's Main Street; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Mayor Emily Styron of the Town of Zionsville proclaims the August 18, 2023 as Shari Jenkins Day and asks that residents join in recognizing this day.

**The Town of Zionsville, through its mayor, recognizes August 18, 2023 as
SHARI JENKINS DAY**

TOWN OF ZIONSVILLE, INDIANA BY ITS MAYOR

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Emily Styron".

Emily Styron, Mayor