



FROM THE OFFICE OF
MAYOR FRIDAY ELLIS

Proclamation

WHEREAS, 3.5% of Louisiana's net electricity generation in 2023 came from renewable resources, with biomass accounting for nearly three-fifths of this renewable power; and

WHEREAS, the Sterlington Solar Facility in Ouachita Parish will account for about 49 megawatts of solar power to Entergy Louisiana's generation portfolio, thereby, reducing our city's carbon footprint; and

WHEREAS, clean power is an important job creator in Louisiana with a clean energy workforce of more than 31,000 jobs in the state in 2023; and

WHEREAS, clean energy is vital and growing part of Louisiana's economy, and the City of Monroe is proud to join all of our partners and stakeholders throughout the State in recognizing and highlighting the importance of clean energy to Louisiana's future.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FRIDAY ELLIS, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MONROE, LOUISIANA, on behalf of the Monroe City Council and citizens of Monroe, do hereby proclaim in the City of Monroe, September 23-27, 2024, as

"Clean Energy Week"

Signed and presented this 25th day of July 2024.

Friday Ellis
Mayor of Monroe, Louisiana