



CITY OF SHREVEPORT  
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**Statement of Appreciation from Mayor Tom Arceneaux  
on Collaborative Efforts to Enhance Security at Government Plaza**

“I want to extend my sincere appreciation to the Shreveport City Council for its initiation, support, and collaboration in the planning and implementation of the new security measures at Government Plaza. In particular, I would like to thank Council Chairwoman Tabatha Taylor, Councilman Grayson Boucher, who served as the Public Safety Committee Chairman, for their leadership, advocacy, and hands-on involvement even during the prior administration in helping make these improvements a reality. When Vice Chairwoman Ursula Bowman became a Councilwoman, she joined in the collaborative efforts, as did the other current members of the City Council. Their commitment to public safety and their willingness to work across departments have been essential to the success of this effort.

“In addition, I’d like to acknowledge the important contributions of SPAR, whose logistical support and operational coordination played a critical role in preparing the facility for these new protocols.

“This was a true team effort that demonstrates what we can achieve when we work together with purpose. The safety of our employees, residents, and visitors remains a top priority, and I am proud of the unity shown by our city, council, parish, and law enforcement leaders in making these enhanced security measures possible.”

— *Mayor Tom Arceneaux*

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