



PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS:** The 2025 St. Thomas Aquinas Boys Soccer Team, under the exceptional leadership of Coach Ethan Rech in his fourth season, completed a dominant regular season with a 13–1–1 record, earning the #1 seed in the NHIAA Division III Boys Soccer Tournament; and
- WHEREAS:** The Saints opened postseason play by hosting the Preliminary Round, defeating #16 Mascoma with an impressive 4–0 victory; and
- WHEREAS:** In the Quarterfinals, St. Thomas Aquinas continued their strong postseason performance with another 4–0 win over #9 Prospect Mountain; and
- WHEREAS:** Advancing to the Semifinals, the Saints hosted #4 Trinity High School and prevailed in a thrilling 2–1 match, securing their place in the Championship Game; and
- WHEREAS:** In the NHIAA Division III Championship, St. Thomas Aquinas faced #2 Kearsarge—who had edged out the Saints 1–0 in the regular season—and demonstrated their excellence with a decisive 3–0 victory; and
- WHEREAS:** This remarkable win secured the second Boys Soccer State Championship in school history, the first having been earned in 1994;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert Carrier, Mayor of the City of Dover in the State of New Hampshire, and the entire City Council congratulate and commend the 2025 St. Thomas Aquinas High School Boys Soccer Team for their outstanding season, dedication, and achievement in bringing home the State Championship.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have here unto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Dover to be affixed this 10th Day of December, 2025.

Robert Carrier, Mayor
City of Dover, New Hampshire