PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, throughout our history, America has been protected by patriots who cherished liberty and made great sacrifices to advance the cause of freedom. The brave members of the United States Armed Forces have answered the call to serve our Nation, ready to give all for their country; and

WHEREAS, in times of war and of peace, our men and women in uniform stepped forward to preserve our Nation with unwavering patriotism and quiet courage. Undoubtedly, it is because of their selflessness and bravery that we know the comforts of civilian life; and

WHEREAS, every veteran: Soldier, Sailor, Airman, Marine, and Coast Guardsman has earned the lasting gratitude of the American people and represent the very best of our Nation. Long after leaving the uniform behind, many veterans continue to serve our country as public servants and mentors, parents and community leaders.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Commission of the City of Oakland Park, Florida, by the virtue of the authority vested in it by the Charter does hereby authorize Mayor Tim Lonergan to proclaim November 11, 2018 as

VETERANS DAY

throughout the City, and urges all citizens of Oakland Park to acknowledge and support those who have served our country.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Oakland Park, Florida, to be affixed this 7th day of November, 2018.

	BY:
	TIM LONERGAN, MAYOR
ATTEST:	
RENEE M. SHROUT, CMC, CITY CLERK	