

*STATE OF FLORIDA
CITY OF OAKLAND PARK*

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland Park is committed to ensuring the safety and security of all those living in and visiting Oakland Park; and

WHEREAS, home fires killed more than 2,770 people in the United States in 2019, according to the National Fire Protection Association® (NFPA®), and fire departments in the United States responded to 339,500 home fires; and

WHEREAS, the 2021 Fire Prevention Week theme, *Learn the Sounds of Fire Safety*, effectively reminds us it is important to learn the different sounds of smoke and carbon monoxide alarms; and

WHEREAS, Oakland Park's residents who have planned and practiced a home fire escape plan are more prepared and will therefore be more likely to survive a fire; and

WHEREAS, Oakland Park's first responders are dedicated to reducing the occurrence of home fires and encourage residents to take personal steps to increase their safety from fire, especially in their homes.\

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Commission of the City of Oakland Park, Florida by virtue of the authority vested in it by the Charter does hereby authorize Mayor Jane Bolin to proclaim October 3 – 9, 2021 as.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

in the City of Oakland Park, Florida.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Oakland Park, Florida, to be affixed this 6th day of October 2021.

By: _____
JANE BOLIN, MAYOR

ATTEST:

RENEE M. SHROUT, CMC, CITY CLERK