

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, The Jewish Federation prides itself in not only supporting Israel, but also helping the less fortunate people of all denominations in Volusia and Flagler Counties with food, clothing, household goods, furniture, and assists them when they have the funds with rent and utility bills; and

WHEREAS, The Jewish Federation of Volusia and Flagler Counties named their Food Pantry "The Jerry Doliner Food Pantry" after the late Jerry Doliner, who supplied the Food Pantry with hundreds of cases of food, as he truly believed that no one should go hungry in our country, especially children; and

WHEREAS, due to the current state of the economy, the Jerry Doliner Food Pantry is serving an increasing number of clients in Volusia and Flagler Counties, averaging a cost of \$16,000 a month. Last year alone giving more than 25,400 people a week and a half worth of food; and

WHEREAS, Ray Max volunteers over 90 hours a week at the Food Pantry, working diligently to make certain that the best foods go into the bags for the less fortunate; and

WHEREAS, if it wasn't for Ray Max and his volunteers, namely Doug Powell and Marta Weisberg, there would not be a Jerry Doliner Food Pantry, as they purchase and prepare the food bags according to the size of the family. Ray begins his work day starting before 4:00 a.m., five days a week, and sometimes not finishing before 9:00 p.m.;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ed Kelley, Mayor of the City of Ormond Beach, Florida, do hereby proclaim January 11, 2013, as

RAY MAX DAY

in the City of Ormond Beach and urge all residents to join with me in paying tribute to Ray Max for his outstanding dedication to the Jerry Doliner Food Pantry and the less fortunate in our community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the City of Ormond Beach, Florida, to be affixed this 11th day of January in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Thirteen.




ED KELLEY
Mayor