

# PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS,** The Boy Scouts of America endeavor to influence the development of character, leadership, good citizenship, and the respect of others and to foster a sense of personal achievement by developing new interests and skills, and to encourage our youth to be helpful and do one's best; and

**WHEREAS,** Kyle Flynn has been an active scout since first grade. He achieved the Arrow of the Light, which is Cub Scouting's highest award. He was elected twice as his scouting troop's Senior Patrol Leader, participated in the Arrow of the Order fraternity, and completed a 50-mile hike in the Appalachian Mountains; and

**WHEREAS,** Kyle selected as his project toward achieving the rank of Eagle Scout to build a 20-foot by 20-foot dog park in a senior citizens' housing complex, which gave the residents an area to bring their dogs where they could run leash free. The park includes two benches which Kyle secured with donations. Kyle completed the project with the help of over 30 volunteers made up of scouts, parents and friends; and

**WHEREAS,** Kyle earned the honor of achieving the highest rank in Boy Scouts, attained by only five percent of all Scouts, the Eagle Scout badge;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Ed Kelley, Mayor of the City of Ormond Beach, Florida, do hereby proclaim February 17, 2013, as

## KYLE FLYNN DAY

in the City of Ormond Beach and urge all residents to join with me on this day in paying tribute to Kyle Flynn as an outstanding representative of the youth of the City of Ormond Beach and in thanking him for his service to 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 17<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Thirteen.



*Ed Kelley*  
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Mayor