

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Rick Boehm is a graduate of Florida State University and a Vietnam-era United States Navy veteran who advocates supporting and recognizing the service of veterans. When speaking about military service, his admiration for the service of others and his love for his country are evident; and

WHEREAS, after his military service, Rick Boehm attended law school and became an attorney. He formed his own law firm where he worked for nearly 40 years. Rick Boehm also worked as a Florida Supreme Court certified mediator; and

WHEREAS, Rick Boehm is passionate about youth sports and recreation activities; he has volunteered his time in the City of Ormond Beach for many years. In 2004, Rick Boehm began serving on the Leisure Services Advisory Board, where he was eventually elected Chairman. Rick Boehm also chaired and served on boards for both Ormond Beach's Pop Warner and Youth Basketball Associations; and

WHEREAS, in 2010, Rick Boehm was elected to the City Commission of Ormond Beach to represent Zone 3, and also represented the Commission on the Ormond Beach MainStreet Board. In his various roles, Rick Boehm has always campaigned for recreation interests. Among other achievements, he successfully advocated for a more accessible playground for physically impaired children to enjoy, the formation of a Pop Warner football league, and several improvements to leisure service facilities. Rick Boehm served on the City Commission until November 2018 when he retired and returned to the Leisure Services Advisory Board; and

WHEREAS, his fellow Commissioners have praised Rick Boehm as a dedicated husband and father, a champion of youth activities, and a noble representative of Ormond Beach who truly cares about his community. He continues to serve the city as a Goodwill Ambassador. Rick Boehm believes that local service is all about love of your city and that public service is about making things better for those around you. He works resolutely to make Ormond Beach a great place to live, work, and play for all citizens; and

WHEREAS, Rick Boehm advocates for quality leisure services for all, including equal facilities for girls. The Ormond Beach City Commission unanimously voted to dedicate and name the girls' softball field at the Ormond Beach Sports Complex, the "*Rick Boehm Girls' Softball Field*";

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Partington, Mayor of the City of Ormond Beach, do hereby proclaim June 1, 2019, as a day to dedicate the

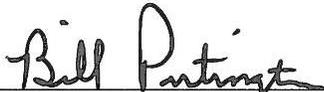
RICK BOEHM GIRLS' SOFTBALL FIELD

and to honor

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in the City of Ormond Beach and urge all residents to join me in recognizing Rick Boehm for his outstanding service to the community and its recreation services, and his commitment to Ormond Beach.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the City of Ormond Beach, Florida, to be affixed this 1st day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Nineteen.



BILL PARTINGTON

Mayor