



CITY OF MILWAUKIE
"Dogwood City of the West"

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, President Woodrow Wilson first proclaimed November 11, 1919, in commemoration of the end of World War I, the "War to End All Wars"; and

WHEREAS, the United States of America has recognized November 11th as a national holiday "dedicated to the cause of world peace" since 1938; and

WHEREAS, Veterans Day continues to bring communities together to honor military veterans and their profound legacy of selfless services and sacrifice; and

WHEREAS, the City of Milwaukie is proud to partner with American Legion Post 180 to commemorate the 50th Anniversary of the Vietnam War, and to recognize the men and women who served our nation during in times of war and in times of peace; and

WHEREAS, the City of Milwaukie wishes to recognize the many known and silent sacrifices made by the men and women who have served our country, in the hope that all people may enjoy the fruits of justice and liberty today and in the future.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mark Gamba, Mayor of the City of Milwaukie, a municipal corporation in the County of Clackamas, in the State of Oregon, do hereby proclaim **November 11, 2016**, to be **Veterans Day** in the City of Milwaukie.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, and with the consent of the City Council of the City of Milwaukie, I have hereunto set my hand on this 1st day of November, 2016.

Mark Gamba, Mayor

ATTEST:

Scott S. Stauffer, City Recorder

