

WHEREAS, The State of Florida is noted as one of the most military-friendly states in our nation for veterans, with over 1.5 million veterans and their families calling Florida home;

WHEREAS, Brevard County has the privilege of boasting more than 67,620 military veterans and their families that live, work, raise families, and enjoy the amenities of Brevard County; and

WHEREAS, throughout our residents there are five military veterans who continued with a lifetime of service in community, to other veterans, and the State of Florida in both civic and military organizations. These veterans distinguished themselves with their continued commitment and dedication to service as evidenced by their induction into the Florida Veterans Hall of Fame.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Brevard County Board of County Commissioners recognize and acknowledge the military service and Florida Veterans Hall of Fame inductions of

MAJOR GENERAL JOHN CLELAND

United States Army, Hall of Fame Class of 2013

CHIEF MASTER SERGEANT EUGENE CECIL JOHNSON

United States Air Force, Hall of Fame Class of 2014

SERGEANT FIRST CLASS JUAN SANTIAGO

United States Army, Hall of Fame Class of 2019

LIEUTENANT COLONEL HARRY "SKIP" TAYLOR

United States Army, Hall of Fame Class of 2022

CAPTAIN DONN ALDEN WEAVER

United States Army, Hall of Fame Class of 2023

and call upon all residents of Brevard County to join them in honoring the contributions by these Veterans to Florida and the United States of America.

DONE, ORDERED, AND ADOPTED in regular session, this 24th day of October, 2023 A.D.