PROCLAMATION



Veterans Day Proclamation

WHEREAS, on November 11, 1918, the United States and its allies signed an armistice with Germany to end hostilities in World War I; the Great War exacted a tremendous toll on our Nation and thousands of American service members perished in the war, and the lives of countless others were forever altered, and;

WHEREAS, in 1919, to honor and memorialize the loss of lives, President Woodrow Wilson proclaimed November 11 as Armistice Day, the precursor to Veterans Day, expressing "solemn pride in the heroism of those who died in the country's service", and;

WHEREAS, we humbly thank our veterans and their families for their selflessness and love of country as we remember their service and their gallantry; and we pray for the safety of all currently serving in harm's way, and;

WHEREAS, this day, and every day, we pay tribute to America's sons and daughters who have answered our country's call, we recognize the sacrifice of those who have been part of the finest fighting force the world has ever known and we will never forget the heroes who paid the ultimate price.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Hughes, Mayor of the Town of Dewey-Humboldt, do hereby acknowledge November 11, 2022 as Veterans Day; and as a grateful Nation, let us show our appreciation by honoring all our veterans and work to ensure the promise of America is within the reach of all who have protected it.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 1st day of November 2022.

John Hughes, Mayor

ATTEST:

Beth Evans, Town Clerk