



RESOLUTION DESIGNATING SEPTEMBER 11TH AS “DAY OF REMEMBRANCE”

September 11, 2018

Resolution 18-18

WHEREAS, in an unprovoked and senseless act of terrorism, four civilian aircraft were hijacked on September 11, 2001, and crashed in New York City, Pennsylvania, and the Pentagon; AND

WHEREAS, innocent U.S. citizens of all heritages as well as visiting citizens of foreign nations were killed and injured as a result of these horrific acts; AND

WHEREAS, while we as a Union still continue to recover from the unspeakable loss of so many innocent lives, the indomitable spirit of the United States has been revitalized and given way to numerous expressions of heroism and patriotism; AND

WHEREAS, the threat of terrorism, destruction and senseless violence must be banished for any free society to exist; AND

WHEREAS, the City of Hampton, Georgia shares in the grief of New York City, New York, Washington, D.C., Shanksville, Pa. and other cities across the globe will commemorate the annual observance of the September 11th tragedies.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Hampton, Georgia that we extend our deepest condolences to the innocent victims of these unprovoked actions by terrorists, as well as to their families and their friends.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we salute the heroism of public safety and rescue workers, volunteers, local officials, and those who responded to these tragic events with courage, selfless compassion, determination, and skill.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we dedicate September 11th - **ALWAYS REMEMBER 9-11 DAY** - a day to mourn, reflect and rededicate ourselves to ending terrorism in commemoration of the anniversary of the terrorist attack.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we encourage all our citizens to honor the victims of September 11th by reaffirming their commitment to sustaining our newfound patriotism through volunteerism, community involvement, and service.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we as citizens dedicate our time, talents, and energy to lift one another up and foster a new level of understanding and awareness. Let us honor the memory of all those who died by being of service to one another and by building the “stronger, more perfect union” our founding fathers called for.

SO RESOLVED this 11 day of September, 2018.

CITY OF HAMPTON, GEORGIA:

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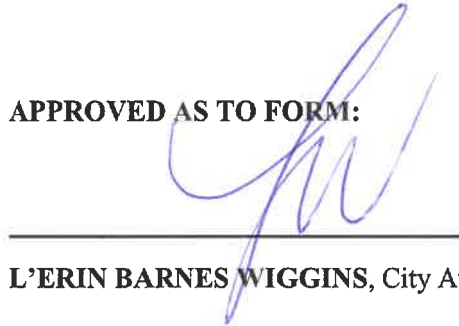
STEVE HUTCHISON, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Deputy Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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L'ERIN BARNES WIGGINS, City Attorney