

RESOLUTION NO. 24-08

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING A PROCLAMATION POLICY FOR REQUESTING CEREMONIAL DOCUMENTS FROM THE CITY OF BELLE ISLE

WHEREAS, proclamations and letters from the mayor are an opportunity for the City Council to recognize and celebrate the extraordinary achievements of Belle Isle citizens and non-profit organizations, honor occasions of importance and significance, and increase public awareness of issues to improve the well-being of the people of this City; and

WHEREAS, the City of Belle Isle will consider a request for a proclamation, letter, or certificate of appreciation, appreciation or commendation from any group or individual, as long as the request has a significant connection to the City and its adopted goals and policies and/or promotes activities taking place in the City of Belle Isle; and

WHERES, proclamations are not statements of policy but a manner in which the City can recognize an event (e.g., Red Ribbon Week).

WHEREAS, as part of his/her ceremonial responsibilities, the Mayor is charged with administrating and issuing proclamations.

WHEREAS, the Belle Isle City Council has reviewed this matter during a regularly called public meeting of said Council, has given said matter careful review and consideration, and finds that passage of this resolution and the Policy known as Exhibit A is an appropriate function for the city and that the best interests of the City of Belle Isle will be served by the passage of this resolution,

NOW THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Belle Isle resolves as follows:

<u>Section 1</u>: The Belle Isle City Council hereby adopts the following policies governing requests for the issuance of City of Belle Isle proclamations:

A. Requests should be submitted to the City Clerk's office at least thirty (30) days before the due date. The City Clerk will email the draft proclamation to the Mayor to determine if there are any objections.

1	STATE OF FLORIDA
2	COUNTY OF ORANGE
3	I, YOLANDA QUICENO, CITY CLERK OF BELLE ISLE, FLORIDA, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing
4	Resolution 24-08 was duly and legally passed and adopted by the Belle Isle City Council in session
5	assembled. At this session, a quorum of its members was present on the day of August 2024.
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8	Yolanda Quiceno, City Clerk
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1	Exhibit A
2	Ceremonial Documents Policy and Application
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