## PROCLAMATION



**WHEREAS**, park and recreation services are vital for communities throughout this country, including Dundee, Florida; and,

**WHEREAS**, park and recreation services establish and maintain the quality of life in our communities, ensuring the health of all citizens and contributing to the economic and environmental well-being of a community and region; and,

**WHEREAS**, park and recreation services build healthy, active communities that aid in the prevention of chronic disease, provide therapeutic recreation services for individuals with mental or physical disabilities, and also improve the mental and emotional health of all residents; and,

**WHEREAS**, park and recreation services increase a community's economic prosperity through increased property values, expansion of the local tax base, increased tourism, the attraction and retention of businesses, and crime reduction; and,

**WHEREAS**, parks and open spaces ensure the ecological beauty of our community and provide a place for children and adults to connect with nature and recreate outdoors; and,

**WHEREAS**, park and recreation services are vital for our communities, from protecting open space and natural resources, to helping fight obesity and providing activities and resources for all walks of life; and,

**WHEREAS**, the U.S. House of Representatives passed an official resolution and has designated July as Park and Recreation Month; and

**NOW**, **THEREFORE**, the Town Commission of the Town of Dundee, Florida does hereby proclaim July 2025 as

## NATIONAL PARKS & RECREATION MONTH

**PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED** in regular session this 22nd day of July 2025.

	TOWN OF DUNDEE, FLORIDA
ATTEST:	Samuel E. Pennant, Mayor
Erica Anderson, Town Clerk	