



Proclamation

Know Ye:

WHEREAS, Tim Totten was born on August 22, 1975, in Orlando, Florida, and became a visionary leader, entrepreneur, advocate, and Master Storyteller whose work strengthened civic engagement and cultural appreciation throughout Lake County; and

WHEREAS, he excelled in his career by applying his creativity to the pursuit of design and sharing his enthusiasm for architecture with audiences across the country, inspiring people through his stories and insights; and

WHEREAS, Tim expressed his dedication to supporting the community by bringing the Amazing Race for Charity to Eustis in 2014 and serving as Race Director and President for more than a decade, generating substantial charitable support and fostering community collaboration; and

WHEREAS, Tim's commitment extended to founding and co-organizing TEDxEustis, bringing nationally recognized speakers and local innovators to the City from 2018 through 2025, and continuing in 2026 as a curator and coach; and

WHEREAS, his love for the City of Eustis was evident in his willingness to take on countless projects, always seeking ways to help and uplift others; and

WHEREAS, Tim's legacy lives on through the initiatives he built and the countless individuals he inspired, and he is survived by beloved family members, friends and a community forever changed by his dedication to fostering kindness, compassion and connection;

Now, therefore,

I, Emily Lee, Mayor of the City of Eustis, Florida, on behalf of the City Commission and Citizens of Eustis, do hereby honor Timothy Brian Totten's impact on our community by proclaiming June 6, 2026, as:

Tim Totten Day

in honor of his unwavering service, selflessness and passion for the City of Eustis. I call upon all residents to join us in honoring and celebrating his life and contributions to our community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Eustis to be affixed, this **6th day of June, 2026.**

Emily Lee
MAYOR/COMMISSIONER