

**A PROCLAMATION RECOGNIZING SEAN POLSTER FOR HIS DEDICATION AND SERVICE TO
THE TOWN OF WARRENTON, VIRGINIA**

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Warrenton is the legislative body charged, under the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia and the Town Charter, to determine the needs of the citizenry and to establish the ordinances, policies, and budgets which determine the kind, manner, and cost of services to be delivered; and

WHEREAS, Sean Polster was elected to the Warrenton Town Council in May of 2014; and

WHEREAS, Sean served as the Vice Mayor from July 2020 through December 2021, leading the Town Council when the Mayor was absent and an advocate for transparency; and

WHEREAS, Councilman Polster helped usher the Town of Warrenton into the modern era by collaborating for streaming videos from the Council Chambers, helping bring government into the homes of the local community; and

WHEREAS, from his extensive background as a firefighter and first responder, Councilman Polster was a strong advocate for those that put their lives on the line for our community; and

WHEREAS, Sean drew upon his extensive network to rail against unfunded mandates from Richmond; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Polster's close personal friendship and mentorship under Councilman Jerry Wood, a Virginia Delegate, influenced his sense of service for his community as he drew strength from his family; and

WHEREAS, Sean's outreach and advocacy addressing the heroin epidemic and the formation of CRUSH provided an asset to our community, helping in the fight against these deadly drugs in the community; and

WHEREAS, Sean's strong leadership skills led to influential roles in VML and NLC and into his new role as the appointed Chief Deputy State Coordinator of Emergency Management; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Mayor of the Town of Warrenton hereby recognizes and deeply appreciates the contributions of Sean Polster for his dedication and service to the Town of Warrenton, Virginia, and its Citizens.

H. E. Carter Nevill
Mayor Town of Warrenton