



Proclamation

National Military Appreciation Month

WHEREAS, In 1999 Senator John McCain introduced legislation to designate the month of May as National Military Appreciation Month and both the Senate and House of Representatives adopted resolutions calling for Americans to recognize and honor U.S. Service Members during National Military Appreciation Month; and

WHEREAS, National Military Appreciation Month (NMAM) is celebrated every May and is a declaration that encourages U.S. citizens to observe the month in a symbol of unity; and

WHEREAS, NMAM honors the current and former members of the U.S. Armed Forces, including those who have died in the pursuit of freedom; and

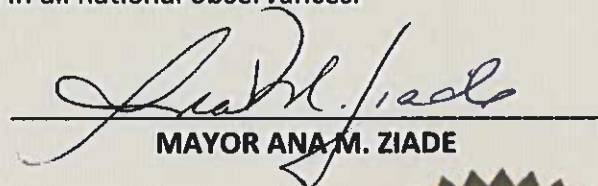
WHEREAS, the month of May is characterized by six national observances which highlight the contributions of those who have served – Loyalty Day on May 1st; Public Service Recognition Week May 3-9th; Victory Day in Europe a/k/a V-E Day on May 8th; Military Spouse Appreciation Day on May 8th; Armed Forces Day on May 16th and Memorial Day on May 25th; and

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of North Lauderdale, I, Ana M. Ziade, together with the City Commission do hereby proclaim the month of May as

NATIONAL MILITARY APPRECIATION MONTH

in the City of North Lauderdale and encourage all citizens to recognize the services of all current and former military personnel and to take part in all national observances.

Dated May 26, 2020


MAYOR ANA M. ZIADE

