

*PROCLAMATION OF WELLINGTON,
FLORIDA'S COUNCIL DECLARING
NOVEMBER 20th AS TRANSGENDER DAY
OF REMEMBRANCE IN THE VILLAGE OF
WELLINGTON, FLORIDA*

WHEREAS, Transgender Day of Remembrance (TDOR) is an annual observance founded in 1999 that honors the memory of transgender people around the world whose lives have been lost to anti-transgender violence; and

WHEREAS, the annual observance recognized on November 20th, provides a forum for transgender communities and allies to raise awareness of the threat of violence faced by transgender, non-binary and gender non-conforming people and the persistence of anti-transgender prejudice that permeates our society; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Wellington recognizes that transgender members of our communities are disproportionately affected by hate crimes and violence and experience a myriad of challenges in their daily lives due to discrimination, high levels of unemployment and limited access to health care; and

WHEREAS, by observing Transgender Day of Remembrance, the Village of Wellington recognizes, admires and celebrates transgender, gender non-conforming and non-binary members of our community; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Wellington also honors and commemorates the strength, commitment and immense efforts of those working for equity and justice for transgender, gender non-conforming and non-binary people; and

NOW, THEREFORE, Wellington, Florida's Council hereby declares November 20th as Transgender Day of Remembrance in Wellington.

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand
and cause the Seal of the Village of Wellington, Florida to be
affixed this 9th day of November, 2021.*

ATTEST:

WELLINGTON

*By: _____
Chevelle Addie, Clerk*

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Anne Gerwig, Mayor*