CITY OF ROCHESTER HILLS OFFICE OF THE MAYOR PROCLAMATION

In Recognition Of

Patriot Week

September 11-17, 2016

Whereas, In reverence to the victims of the 9/11 attacks, we acknowledge that American

citizens must take time to honor the principles, founders, documents, and symbols

of their history; and

Whereas, The events that led to the signing of The Constitution of the United States of

America by the delegates of the Constitutional Convention on September 17, 1787

have significance for every American; and

Whereas, Revolution, the rule of law, social compact, equality, unalienable rights, and limited

government are the First Principles upon which America was founded and

flourishes; and

Whereas, We recognize with great respect, the exceptional, visionary, and indispensable

Americans who founded and advanced the United States; and

Whereas, We honor and respect the physical symbols of American history that should be

studied and remembered by each American citizen.

Now, therefore be it resolved, that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester Hills hereby recognize September 11-17, 2016 as Michigan Patriot Week.

Be it further resolved, that in observing Patriot Week, we appreciate the renewal of America's spirit by celebrating the First Principles, persons, documents, and flags that make America the greatest nation in world history.

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