

PROCLAMATION, CERTIFICATE AND KEY TO THE CITY REQUEST FORM

PLEASE SUBMIT ALL CEREMONIAL ITEM REQUESTS A MINIMUM OF 14 DAYS IN ADVANCE.

* Request for: (check one)
Proclamation

•Certificates are inclusive of any type of recognition that may be used to honor special events or individuals. These may include but are not limited to: conferences; conventions; seminars; professional celebrations; retirements; family reunions; community celebrations; award ceremonies; college graduations; significant birthdays; anniversaries; business openings; distinguished visitors and/or other achievements.

•Proclamations are an official public announcement or declaration to formally recognize and/or draw awareness to an issue that impacts the City of North Port on a specific day, week, or month. These may include but are not limited to: the citizens of the City of North Port; certain organizations' occasions of importance and significance; days that are noteworthy or historically significant; and/or special events. Proclamations will not be issued for matters of political controversy; ideological or religious beliefs or individual conviction; campaigns or events contrary to City policies espousing hatred, violence, or racism. Proclamations are strictly honorary, are issued as a courtesy, are not legally binding and do not constitute an endorsement by the City of North Port.

•The Key to the City is an honor bestowed upon esteemed residents, visitors, and others whom the City wishes to honor, symbolizing outstanding civic contributions of the recipients. A key to the City is strictly honorary.

* **Date of Request**
01/15/2023

* Name of Requestor:
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Citizen of North Port , Florida

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* **Email address:**
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* **Name of Individual / Organization to be honored:**
Dominick Frank Giordano

Title for Proclamation or Certificate:
100th Birthday for US Navy Veteran

Reason for Recognition (Please enter 4 – 6 paragraphs as draft text for a Proclamation):

Dominick Frank was born on February 7th, 1923 in New York City to Frank and Rose Giordano. He grew up in West New York, New Jersey with his 3 siblings Sadie, Eugene, and Irene. Dominick served in the United States Navy from December 15, 1942 to January 14, 1946. He was commissioned on two ships while serving; USS Strive AM-117 and USS Delta AR9. Dominick, First Class Petty Officer serving as a Radarman, received numerous recognitions for his service; The European African- Middle Eastern Campaign Service Medal with 4 Battle Stars; The Asiatic- Pacific Campaign Service Medal with 1 Battle Star; The American Campaign Medal; The WWII Victory Medal and 3 letters of commendations. After serving his country he married the love of his life, Lucy in 1953. They are blessed with 4 children; 10 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. In 1948, Dominick began his successful 34 year career at AT&T. He retired in 1982, as a Manager in AT&T's Engineer Department. Dominick and Lucy arrived in North Port, Florida in 2019 where they celebrated Dominick's 100th birthday and are enjoying the beautiful Sunshine State. This year on February 22, they will celebrate their 70th wedding anniversary.

* Document is to be:
Presented at a Commission Meeting (Ceremonial items are typically presented during Commission Special Meetings held the first Thursday of each month at 4:00 p.m. time certain.)

Please indicate which month the item will be presented at a Commission meeting:
02/14/2023

Please provide event information and location if the item is to be presented outside of a Commission meeting:
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Date and Time of Recognition (if presented at event):
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If not presented document is to be:
Option 1
Option 2

Mailed to:

Name / Organization

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Street Number and Name

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City, State and Zip Code

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If you have any questions please contact the City Clerk's Office at (941) 429-7058.

Note: Submission of a request for a Proclamation, Certificate or Key to the City does not guarantee issuance.