

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, October 4, 2024, is National Manufacturing Day, an effective way to foster interest in manufacturing careers and to reflect manufacturing as one of the most advanced, high-tech industries in the country; and

WHEREAS, the City of North Port supports and joins in this national effort to help America's manufacturers establish the United States as the global leader of manufacturing education; and

WHEREAS, the Sarasota-Manatee Area Manufacturers Association represents over 500 manufacturing facilities in our area who produce a diverse array of products and provide employment for approximately 9,000 residents; and

WHEREAS, the Sarasota-Manatee Area Manufacturers Association works with our educators to increase awareness and advocate for education and job training policies that strengthen the manufacturing workforce; and

WHEREAS, we should recognize the bright future that lies ahead for manufacturing in our area while applauding the innovation, determination, and creativity of our local manufacturers.

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the City Commission of the City of North Port, Florida, do hereby proclaim October 2024, as

“Manufacturing Month”

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and Seal of the City of North Port, Florida, to be affixed this 3rd day of October 2024.

CITY OF NORTH PORT, FLORIDA

Alice White, Mayor

Phil Stokes, Vice-Mayor

Debbie McDowell, Commissioner



Barbara Langdon, Commissioner

Pete Emrich, Commissioner

ATTEST

Heather Faust, City Clerk