

CITY OF WINTER PARK

proclamation

Patty Maddox Day | October 4, 2024

WHEREAS, Patty Maddox began her career in philanthropy while working at Duke University Medical Center in program development fundraising and alumni engagement; and

WHEREAS, moving to Florida in 1993, Patty was recruited to be the Vice President of Development for the nonprofit Winter Park Memorial Hospital and its foundation; and

WHEREAS, in 1994, the Winter Park Memorial Hospital Association began serving the community as the Winter Park Health Foundation (WPHF), led by Patty as its President and CEO; and

WHEREAS, earlier this year the Winter Park Health Foundation celebrated its 30th anniversary, and under Patty's leadership for the first three decades WPHF has invested over \$131 million in philanthropic support for nonprofit organizations, grants, projects, programs and facilities to further the Foundation's mission to make a positive difference in people's lives by optimizing physical, mental and social health and wellbeing; and

WHEREAS, she has served on and chaired many boards, including the Winter Park Chamber of Commerce, Florida Philanthropic Network (FPN), FPN Health Funders, Leadership Winter Park and United Way 2-1-1; and

WHEREAS, Patty was also a Winter Park Magazine 'Most Influential', an Orlando Business Journal 'Woman Who Means Business', and Winter Park Citizen of the Year; and

WHEREAS, the City of Winter Park and Winter Park Health Foundation celebrate the career of Patty Maddox and wish her the best in retirement.

NOW, THEREFORE, I Sheila DeCiccio, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Winter Park, in the state of Florida, do hereby proclaim **Friday, October 4, 2024**, to be **Patty Maddox Day** in the City of Winter Park, Florida.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Winter Park, Florida, to be affixed this 4th day of October 2024.

Sheila DeCiccio
Mayor