

Proclamation

By Mayor and Council - Township of North Brunswick

WHEREAS, the Township of North Brunswick's **Veteran Street Sign Program** allows Township residents who were Wartime Veterans to be recognized by adding their name on a secondary street sign to an existing Municipal Road; and

WHEREAS, by adding names of local Wartime Veterans to public street signs, we hope to promote public awareness of these individuals and show our appreciation for their outstanding contributions and service to our country as a member of the United States Armed Forces; and

WHEREAS, eligible military candidates for this honor include honorably discharged Veterans having served in Military Departments as defined under Department of Defense which include Departments of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps and the Coast Guard; and

WHEREAS, Wartime Veterans are individuals who served in the active military forces, during a period of armed conflict or who received the armed forces expeditionary or other campaign service medals during an emergency condition, including those who died in the line of duty in the active military forces; and

WHEREAS, **Francisco Anthony Georgianna** has been selected to be recognized in the Veteran Street Sign Program; and

WHEREAS, **Francisco "Frank"** was born on October 17, 1922 in New Brunswick, New Jersey. He moved to Walnut Street in North Brunswick in 1958; and

WHEREAS, **Francisco** served in the United States Navy during World War II and the Korean War. He earned the Korean Service Medal and the United Nations Service Medal. He was Honorably Discharged in May 1952; and

WHEREAS, **Francisco** worked as a warehouse administrator for the United States General Services Administration at the Raritan Arsenal in Edison for thirty five years. He was also a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He was a member of the Knight of Columbus Council #257 and a lifetime member of the North Brunswick First Aid & Rescue Squad for over fifty years; and

WHEREAS, **Francisco** was married to Mildred (Sekman) and they have four children; Debra, Kathleen, Thomas and Michael. They also have five grandchildren. Frank sadly passed away on June 11, 2010 after a brief illness; and

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, the Mayor and Council of the Township of North Brunswick, **DO HEREBY PROCLAIM**, distinguished recognition to **Francisco A. Georgianna** for his service to our country ensuring freedom for all.

Francis M. Womack III
Mayor

Bob Davis
Council President

Lisa Russo, Township Clerk
April 23, 2018

Lou Ann Benson
Director of DPRCS