

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, **Frank Andrew Mumber** has been selected to be recognized in the Veteran Street Sign Program; and

WHEREAS, **Frank Andrew Mumber** was born on January 22, 1925 in Bedminster Township, Pennsylvania. He moved to New Brunswick as a young child and attended New Brunswick Elementary Schools. He graduated from New Brunswick High School in 1942; and

WHEREAS, **Frank** enlisted in the United States Navy on August 21, 1942. Frank served as a Fire Control man Third Class on the USS Lexington in the Pacific during World War II. During his years of service, he was awarded the American Theater Medal, the Victory Medal, the Philippine Liberation Medal, and the 1st Asiatic-Pacific Medal-4 Stars. Frank was Honorably Discharged on March 20, 1946; and

WHEREAS, **Frank** attended Rutgers University in New Brunswick where he received a Bachelor of Science and a Masters Degree in Education. He taught at Ramsey High School before returning to his Alma Mater, New Brunswick High School, where he taught History and German. He became the Chairman of the Foreign Language Department while at New Brunswick High School and was instrumental in establishing language clubs, officiated at track meets and other school activities;

WHEREAS, **Frank** married Margaret Mumber Shallcross in 1954 and moved to North Brunswick where he resided until his death on June 15, 1981. Margaret is still a resident of North Brunswick Township.

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

Francis M. Womack III
Mayor

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Councilman

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Lisa Russo, Township Clerk
April 29, 2019