

PROCLAMATION

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR | CITY OF BEAVERTON

WHEREAS, in a joint resolution approved May 11, 1950, Congress provided that Memorial Day should be set aside as a day of prayer for permanent peace; and

WHEREAS, this day honors the more than one million people of the United States military—including nearly 6,000 Oregonians—who gave their lives in service of their country from the Civil War to the present; and

WHEREAS, Memorial Day serves as a solemn reminder of the horrors of war and its bitter aftermath of sorrow; and

WHEREAS, this day has traditionally been devoted to paying tribute to loved ones who lie in hallowed graves throughout the land, having sacrificed their lives that war might end; and

WHEREAS, as Americans we enjoy tremendous freedoms and privileges thanks to the selfless servicepeople who gave their lives to protect those freedoms and our nation; and

WHEREAS, the contributions and sacrifices made by our service people, whether on our own soil or abroad, deserve our greatest respect; and

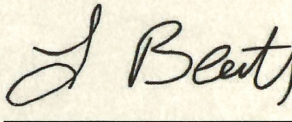
WHEREAS, while some of our service people have left us, their bravery remains, and we proudly pay tribute to their memories on this Memorial Day.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lacey Beaty, Mayor of the City of Beaverton do hereby proclaim Monday, May 30, 2022, as:

MEMORIAL DAY

in the City of Beaverton and ask all residents to honor and give thanks to our military heroes who have given the greatest sacrifice, their lives. May each of us always remember the incredible price that is paid to maintain our freedom.




Lacey Beaty, Mayor

