

# PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, S.R. Perrott, Inc. is a successful beverage wholesaler celebrating 60 years of operations in the Ormond Beach Area. The company was founded by Samuel R. Perrott and Marriette Perrott in March of 1962. Michele Connors, owner and president, has said that her parents started the business selling out of the back of a station wagon. The distributorship has grown from five employees to over 200 employees; and

**WHEREAS**, S.R. Perrott, Inc. has had many decades of success. Their first building was located at 4 North Perrott Drive, in Ormond Beach. In 2013, they constructed a new 90,000 square foot distribution facility. In 2014, they opened their 22,300 square foot office expansion and in 2020, they expanded their distribution facility by 38,732 square feet; and

**WHEREAS**, during the onset of the pandemic, S.R. Perrott stepped up and provided "Open for Business" banners to any store or restaurant in Ormond Beach, so that local residents and tourists would know they were open for business. This is just one example of the many ways S.R. Perrott, Inc. has provided a helping hand when times were tough; and

**WHEREAS**, S.R. Perrott donates over \$3 million dollars each year through Step Up for Students, which provides low income students, bullied students and students with special needs scholarships to help pay tuition for private school, assistance to attend an out of district public school, or for tutoring and textbooks; and

**WHEREAS**, S.R. Perrott actively gives back to the community in even more ways: a long-time partner of Ormond Beach MainStreet; supporter of The Camp Boggy Creek Bruce Rossmeyer Ride for Children Event for the last 27 years, which has helped raise more than \$6 million for the special needs camp; and created a line of wines that give to various local causes including the Halifax Humane Society, Provision Packs and the Turtle Conservatory.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Bill Partington, Mayor of the City of Ormond Beach, Florida, do hereby proclaim April 22, 2022, as a day to celebrate with

## **S.R. PERROTT, INC.**

in the City of Ormond Beach and urge all residents to join with me at this time as we recognize S.R. Perrott, Inc. on their 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and for their valuable contributions to our community.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the City of Ormond Beach, Florida, to be affixed this 22nd day of April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty-Two.

  
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**BILL PARTINGTON**  
Mayor