

Proclamation

WHEREAS, it has been nineteen years since an act of terrorism on September 11th, 2001 forever changed the lives of Americans after nearly 3,000 innocent people lost their lives in New York City, Washington D.C. and Pennsylvania; and,

WHEREAS, we witnessed tremendous sacrifice, bravery and heroism of the first responders and volunteers who, in the minutes, hours and days that followed, worked to help save and protect citizens at the scene of the terrible destruction; and,

WHEREAS, the greatness of the American people continues to be demonstrated by our first responders, volunteers and the military personnel who are protecting our community today; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Worthington salutes the courage of our women and men in uniform who have served and sacrificed to advance freedom and to protect the safety of all American citizens; and,

WHEREAS, during this year's COVID-19 pandemic we cannot bring our community together in person for our traditional commemoration, we stand together in strength and encourage all Worthington citizens to honor the victims of September 11th by reaffirming their commitment to volunteerism, community involvement, and service;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott Holmes, Mayor of the City of Worthington, Ohio, do hereby proclaim September 11, 2020

P A T R I O T D A Y

in the City of Worthington, to honor the memory of all those who died by being of service to one another and our community.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,
I have hereunto subscribed my name
and affixed my Seal this 11th day of
September in the Year Two-
Thousand and Twenty.



Scott Holmes, Mayor
City of Worthington, Ohio