



PROCLAMATION
Edwin L. Allen, Jr.

WHEREAS, Edwin L. Allen, Jr. was hired by the Fire Department for the City of Fredericksburg, Virginia, on October 24, 1974, representing over 47 years of dedicated service; and

WHEREAS, since that time, Edwin L. Allen, Jr. served the Fire Department as a Firefighter, Senior Operator, Lieutenant, Captain, Deputy Chief, and Fire Chief for the past 16 years and special advisor to the Fire and Police Chiefs the last year of his career; and

WHEREAS, Edwin L. Allen, Jr. was integral in the establishment of the E911 System and coordination of EMS program; and

WHEREAS, Edwin L. Allen, Jr. was the Emergency Services Coordinator for the City of Fredericksburg and lead emergency services through many significant weather, flooding, and special events.

WHEREAS, Edwin L. Allen, Jr. was also instrumental in the procurement and implementation of the Public Safety Radio System; and

WHEREAS, Edwin L. Allen, Jr. has been a dedicated employee of the City of Fredericksburg, Fire Department. Edwin L. Allen, Jr. has represented the City with a high level of professionalism and work ethic. Edwin L. Allen, Jr. is highly regarded with the Department and looked up to as a role model.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mary Katherine Greenlaw, Mayor of the City of Fredericksburg, on behalf of the City Council and the citizens of Fredericksburg, on this twenty-second day, in the year twenty-twenty-one, do hereby thank and congratulate Edwin L. Allen, Jr. for his selfless and dedicated contributions to the City and extend to him, his wife Sharon, his daughters Amanda and Erica the very best wishes for continued success and happiness with future endeavors.

Mary Katherine Greenlaw
Mayor