



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Seminole Futbol Club (also known as Seminole Shooting Stars) Association is a non-profit and educational organization whose mission is to cultivate the physical, mental, and emotional development of youth through the sport of soccer at all levels of age and competition; and

WHEREAS, Seminole Futbol Club is dedicated to building an organization that serves the greater Seminole community with integrity, respect, and leadership.

WHEREAS, Seminole Futbol Club achieves soccer excellence through hard work, sacrifice, and the complete commitment to every individual player in its recreation and competitive programs; and

WHEREAS, the Seminole Futbol Club Under 19 Girls Team, comprised of young women from the greater Seminole area, finished its recent season ranked #1 in the USA Competitive Soccer League Under18/Under 19 Girls South Bracket; won its division at the 9th annual Bradenton Cup Tournament sponsored by the Bradenton Area Sports Commission, and finished 2nd in its division at the Dimitri Cup tournament, a large tournament held in Lakewood Ranch which attracts teams from all over Florida; and

WHEREAS, the players have been playing together for many years and represent the best that Seminole has to offer, attending Seminole High School, Osceola Fundamental High School, Largo High School, St. Petersburg High School, Boca Ciega High School, Pinellas Park High School and St. Petersburg College; and

WHEREAS, ten of the sixteen team members play a varsity sport in soccer, track, cross country, volleyball and flag football; and

WHEREAS, Head Coach Brian Gavaghan, Assistant Coach Chris Kurus, Assistant Coach Mark Grezegorzewski, and Trainer Paddy Sweeney put in countless hours preparing the team for competition in soccer and in life; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Leslie Waters, by the virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Seminole, do hereby proclaim May 10th, 2022 as

"Seminole Futbol Club Day"

in the City of Seminole, and call upon all citizens to congratulate and celebrate this team's remarkable achievements in winning the Bradenton Cup Championship and being ranked first place in the USA Competitive League South.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the City of Seminole, Florida, to be affixed this 10th day of May, 2022.



Leslie Waters, Mayor

