



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Captain Mike Leiner, of the Pinellas County Sherriff's Office, grew up in Seminole, graduating from Seminole High School before attending the University of Central Florida where he earned a Bachelor's Degree; and

WHEREAS, in 1994 Captain Leiner joined the Pinellas County Sherriff's Office and currently commands the Youth Education and Administrative Services Division; and

WHEREAS, within Captain Leiner's Division is the School Crossing Guard Unit, the School Guardian Unit, the Habitual Offender Monitoring and Enforcement Task Force, the School Resource Deputy Unit, and youth programs including Juvenile Diversion, Runaways, Public Safety Cadets Unit 900, the Teen Driver Challenge, Targeted Response Against Distracted Driving, the Graffiti Response Program, and the Narcotics Overdose Prevention and Education program; and

WHEREAS, Captain Leiner works closely with the City of Seminole as he is an agency liaison for the 10 central district contract municipalities; and

WHEREAS, during his career, Captain Leiner has worked in Patrol, Field Training, Community Policing, the Violent Crimes Task Force, and Public Relations; and

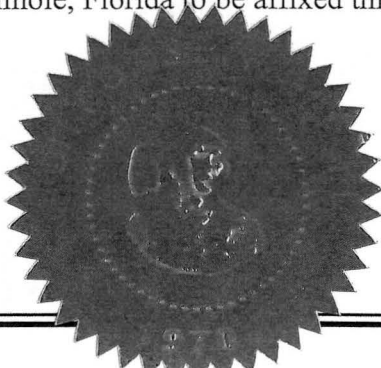
WHEREAS, Captain Leiner is a highly decorated Officer with several Distinguished Service Awards from the Pinellas County Sheriff's office and has a multitude of letters and certificates of appreciation from community partners like the Pinellas County School Board, Pinellas County Urban League, and Highpoint Neighborhood Family Center; and


WHEREAS, during Captain Leiner's 30-year tenure with the Pinellas County Sherriff's Office he has worked diligently to protect and serve the City of Seminole and Pinellas County; and

THEREFORE, I, Leslie Waters, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Seminole, Florida, do hereby Proclaim this 17th day of December 2024, as

"Captain Mike Leiner Day"

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Seminole, Florida to be affixed this day of December 17, 2024.




Leslie Waters, Mayor