Proclamation

A tolling of bells is a traditional expression of honor and remembrance;

and

WHEREAS: a century ago, 4.7 million American sons and daughters put
on the uniform to serve our nation and the world in a global conflict. Men and women from the
Town of Oyster Bay served selflessly and honorably in World War I. There were 375,000
casualties, including 116,516 deaths; and

WHEREAS: on the 11th hour, of the 11th day, of the 11th month in 1918,
an armistice in the fighting was declared; and

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, the Oyster Bay Town Board, do proudly join
with the U.S. World War I Centennial Commission and all American Citizens in honoring the
sacrifices of our American service members in World War I and recognize Sunday,
November 11th, 2018 to be a day we ceremonially toll the

"Bells of Peace"

as a World War I Centennial Armistice Remembrance in the Town of Oyster Bay and we do
hereby call upon the citizens and institutions of our community to toll the bells in remembrance
of the Armistice at 11:00 a.m. local time on November 11, 2018.

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