



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Bells of Peace is a World War I Centennial Armistice Remembrance; and

WHEREAS, 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 this global conflict; and

WHEREAS, men and women from the Vista community served selflessly and honorably in World War I; and

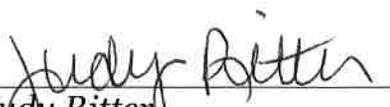
WHEREAS, there were 375,000 American casualties including 116,516 deaths; and

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

WHEREAS, the U.S. World War One Centennial Commission has called up all Americans across the nation to honor and remember those who served.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and members of the Vista City Council do hereby call upon the citizens and institutions of our community to toll the bells in remembrance of the Armistice at 11 a.m. local time on November 11, 2018.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed the seal this 8th day of November, 2018



Judy Ritter
Mayor



John J. Aguilera
Deputy Mayor



Amanda Young Rigby
Councilmember



John Franklin
Councilmember



Joe Green
Councilmember