

# *Proclamation*

**WHEREAS**, Jared Ogden graduated from North Springs High School in 1999 and the US Naval Academy in 2004; and

**WHEREAS**, Jared Ogden was commissioned as an Ensign in the US Navy and was deployed to the Arabian Gulf as a Surface Warfare Officer aboard the USS Belleau Wood, and was later transferred to the USS Bonhomme Richard; and

**WHEREAS**, In 2006, Jared Ogden was selected to transfer to the Naval Special Warfare Command and began Basic Underwater Demolition/SEAL training in 2007; and

**WHEREAS**, Jared Ogden became a SEAL in 2008 and has been deployed three times, including two highly kinetic appointments in support of Operation Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan; and

**WHEREAS**, Jared Ogden was recently awarded the Bronze Star with Valor for actions taken in 2009; and

**WHEREAS**, We salute and express our gratitude to Jared Ogden for his service to our country; and

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Eva Galambos, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Sandy Springs and on behalf of the City Council proclaim December 20, 2011, Jared Ogden Day in the City of Sandy Springs.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the City of Sandy Springs, Georgia, on this 20<sup>th</sup> day of December 2011.

Eva Galambos  
Mayor