

Proclamation

WHEREAS, The Continental Congress of the United States, on June 14, 1777, adopted the first official flag of the United States; and

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States on August 3, 1949, officially designated June 14 of each year as “National Flag Day”; and

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States on June 20, 1965, adopted a Joint Resolution approved by the President, to recognize a pause for the Pledge of Allegiance as part of National Flag Day ceremonies and urged all Americans to participate; and

WHEREAS, The City of Sandy Springs, has always been proud of our National Flag and what it symbolizes, knowing that it stands for the best that humankind has ever sought and achieved in the history of this world;

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 June 14th, as “National Flag Day” and call upon all citizens to share actively in this commemoration and join in a common declaration of faith represented in the words of the Pledge of Allegiance.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the City of Sandy Springs, Georgia, on this 7th day of June 2011.

Eva Galambos
Mayor