Proclamation

WHEREAS, The Salvation Army, an evangelical part of the Universal Christian Church, was established in 1865, with a mission to preach the Gospel of Jesus Christ and to meet human needs in His name without discrimination; and

WHEREAS, The Salvation Army currently carries out its mission by preaching the Gospel and serving human needs in 126 countries all over the world including the United States; and

WHEREAS, in the United States nearly 30 million Americans receive assistance from The Salvation Army each year through a broad array of social services including food for the hungry, relief for disaster victims, assistance for the disabled, outreach to veterans, the elderly and ill, shelter to the homeless, opportunities for the underprivileged children, and adult addiction counseling and rehabilitation; and

WHEREAS, The Salvation Army in the United States serves 60 million meals to anyone in need through various programs nationwide including the food pantry in Broward County since 1926; and

WHEREAS, The Salvation Army, its employees, volunteers, the people of Margate and Broward County through their generous support are "Doing The Most Good".

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Joanne Simone, Mayor of the City of Margate, do hereby proclaim 2015, as the

150th Anniversary of The Salvation Army

in the City of Margate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the City of Margate to be affixed this 28th day of January 2015.

JOANNE SIMONE, MAYOR