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## **PROCLAMATION**

**Whereas**, The United States Tennis Association (USTA) is the nonprofit, national governing body for tennis in the United States; and

**Whereas**, The USTA leads the promotion and growth of the sport at every level of play, from beginners to professionals; and

Whereas, The USTA is the largest tennis organization in the world with over 700,000 members; and

Whereas, The USTA partners with local tennis programs and facilities to showcase the important health, social, and educational benefits of tennis, making the sport available to everyone; and

Whereas, the USTA declared the month of May as National Tennis Month to encourage players, organizations, facilities, retailers, and tennis manufacturers to promote local programs and activities; and

**Whereas**, The City of Delray Beach provides its community with outstanding tennis and pickleball facilities at the Delray Beach Tennis Center and the Delray Swim & Tennis Club; and

**Whereas**, The Delray Beach Tennis Center and Delray Swim & Tennis Club welcome over 145,000 guests each year; and

**Whereas**, The Delray Beach Tennis Center and Delray Swim & Tennis Club provides year round programming for youth and adults; and

Whereas, The Delray Beach Tennis Center is home to the annual Delray Beach Open; and

**Whereas**, The USTA in 2021 designated the Delray Beach Tennis Center as an outstanding tennis facility in the United States; and

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Thomas F. Carney, Jr., Mayor of the City of Delray Beach, Florida, proclaim the month of May 2025 as:

## **National Tennis Month**

in the City of Delray Beach. We urge all residents and visitors of Delray Beach to support National Tennis Month and get out and play!

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Official Seal of the City of Delray Beach, Florida, to be affixed this 6<sup>th</sup> day of May 2025.

Thomas F. Carney, Jr. Mayor