

## RESOLUTION NO. 79-24

### A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF DELRAY BEACH, FLORIDA, RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING **TOMMIE OSBORN** FOR THIRTY YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE CITY OF DELRAY BEACH.

WHEREAS, Tommie Osborn began his career with the City of Delray Beach on January 10, 1994 and on January 10, 2024 achieved thirty years of full-time service with the City of Delray Beach. He was hired as a Firefighter and promoted to Firefighter/EMT, where he currently serves with honor and distinction. He has his Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration and has earned his Fire Inspector certification; and

WHEREAS, he is recognized for setting standards of excellence for customer service delivery and for his extraordinary work ethic. He can be counted on to do the right thing and do it well; and

WHEREAS, Tommie has made an important impact on the health and fitness of his fellow Firefighters by leading in the Department's Peer Fitness program and has developed upcoming Firefighters at Palm Beach State College Fire Academy by providing physical fitness training there; and

WHEREAS, Tommie is known around the globe as an ambassador for Firefighter fitness. He is a world-class competitor in the Firefighter Combat Challenge and in track and field at the Police and Fire World Games, an Olympic-sized event that draws more than 10,000 athletes from 70 countries. He is recognized internationally as one of the fittest Firefighters in all manner of fitness competitions; and

WHEREAS, Tommie has inspired many by earning multiple medals in the men's masters division of CrossFit, which involved multiple, grueling workouts that test strength, endurance, coordination and overall fitness; and

WHEREAS, the City of Delray Beach and the Delray Beach Fire-Rescue Department are honored to have Tommie as a valued member of the department.

### **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF DELRAY BEACH, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** That the City Commission of the City of Delray Beach hereby recognizes and commends **Tommie Osborn** for thirty years of dedicated and faithful public service.

**Section 2.** That the City Commission hereby congratulates and expresses sincere thanks and appreciation to **Tommie Osborn** for his many years of faithful service and wishes him the best of health and happiness in his continued employment.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** in regular session on this the 9th day of April 2024.

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MAYOR

ATTEST:

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CITY CLERK