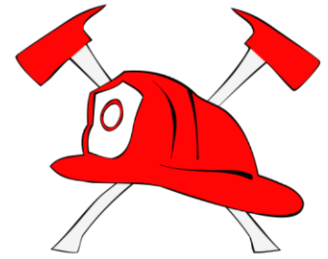


PROCLAMATION



Acknowledging Dannie Orsi for his Service on the Fort Bragg Volunteer Fire Department

WHEREAS, Dannie Orsi joined the Fort Bragg Volunteer Fire Department as an Auxiliary (probation) Member in 1958 and was voted in as a Regular Member on August 7, 1961; and

WHEREAS, he was elected as a Fire Captain in 1977, served as the Fort Bragg Fire Department's President in 1980 & 1981, promoted to 3rd Assistant Chief in 1982, then promoted to 1st Assistant Chief in 1990 which he held until his retirement on April 30, 2018; and

WHEREAS, Orsi was one of the Department's first Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT); and

WHEREAS, Dannie spent years overseeing the Department's Auxiliary Members and the Department's Candy Cane Run - a department favorite!; and

WHEREAS, Dannie was extremely active in the Department's Mutual Aid efforts through the Office of Emergency Services and started the Driver's Training Program through the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV); and

WHEREAS, Dannie developed the: Helicopter Landing Zone markers program, Emergency Preparedness program, Firefighter Identification Numbers system for (gear) and Water Source mapping; and

WHEREAS, Dannie went above and beyond to recruit volunteers to assist in remodeling the Firefighters Lounge at Station 830; and

WHEREAS, Dannie has been dedicated to his community, supportive of new and veteran members and treated everyone involved with the Fort Bragg Fire Department like family; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fort Bragg is fortunate to be served by an exceptional Volunteer Fire Department whose dedicated firefighters serve and protect our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lindy Peters, Mayor of the City of Fort Bragg, on behalf of the entire City Council, do hereby commend Dannie Orsi for all the years of extraordinary service on the Fort Bragg Volunteer Fire Department.

SIGNED this 23rd day of July, 2018

LINDY PETERS, Mayor

ATTEST:

June Lemos, CMC, City Clerk

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