

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Donald William Kirkpatrick was born on March 18, 1951; and

WHEREAS, Donald William Kirkpatrick was a member of the Weston Police Department since April 2004 and had previously served in law enforcement for many years, including his service as the Chief of Police of the Gower Missouri Police Department; and

WHEREAS, Officer Kirkpatrick had previously served his country honorably as a member of the United States Air Force; and

WHEREAS, Officer Kirkpatrick was dedicated to his work as a police officer and to protecting and serving the citizens of Weston; and

WHEREAS, Officer Kirkpatrick was a loving husband and father; and


WHEREAS, Officer Kirkpatrick was a credit to his family, community and this country; and

WHEREAS, Officer Kirkpatrick will be missed by all that knew him and will not be forgotten in our hearts; and

WHEREAS, on behalf of the Weston community, we wish to record and express our deep sorrow over the passing of Officer Donald W. Kirkpatrick on Wednesday, January 11, 2006.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Howard Hellebuyck, Mayor of the City of Weston, in recognition of Donald Kirkpatrick's devotion to our city and its citizens, hereby express the deep appreciation of the community and extend to Officer Kirkpatrick's family our sincere sympathy upon his passing and proclaim Saturday, January 14, 2006, a day of solemn remembrance. The flag at City Hall will be flown at half-staff through this day.

FURTHERMORE, I proclaim Weston Police Department Badge #817 retired from service.


Howard Hellebuyck
Mayor



Done in my office this 13th day of January 2006.