

# PROCLAMATION



## *Office of the Mayor City of Oneida, Madison County, New York State*

WHEREAS, the City of Oneida is a community which acknowledges that a special vibrancy exists within the entire community when its individual citizens collectively "go the extra mile" in personal effort, volunteerism, and service; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oneida has experienced firsthand, the generosity, kindness, hard work and dedication from the hundreds of volunteers who "went the extra mile" for our community, and

WHEREAS, the City of Oneida is a community which encourages its citizens to maximize their personal contribution to the community by giving of themselves wholeheartedly and with total effort, commitment, and conviction to their individual ambitions, family, friends, and community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oneida is proud to have numerous individuals who volunteer their time to "go the extra mile" serving our residents by participating on our various City boards and committees, and

WHEREAS, the City of Oneida is a community which chooses to shine a light on and celebrate individuals and organizations within its community who "go the extra mile" in order to make a difference and lift up fellow members of their community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oneida is proud to support "Extra Mile Day" on November 1, 2015, and now therefore

I, ALDEN M. SMITH, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF ONEIDA, NEW YORK do hereby proclaim NOVEMBER 1, 2015 to be

## "EXTRA MILE DAY"

in the City of Oneida and I urge each individual in the community to take time on this day to not only "go the extra mile" in his or her own life, but to also acknowledge all those who are inspirational in their efforts and commitment to make their organizations, families, community, country, or world a better place.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereby set my hand and place the official seal of the City of Oneida on this 1st day of September, 2015.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Alden M. Smith", written over a horizontal line.

ALDEN M. SMITH, MAYOR  
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