

PROCLAMATION

City of Oneida, County of Madison, State of New York



WHEREAS, the City of Oneida takes pride in its sense of community and citizen involvement, and Scouting has been an integral part, as well as, positive influence in our City for many years; and

WHEREAS, the vision of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare eligible youth to become responsible, participating citizens and leaders, who are guided by the Scout Oath and Law; and

WHEREAS, on June 11, 2016, Chase Ortlieb, an Oneida High School student who attends the Conservation Class at Madison Oneida BOCES will be recognized by the Boy Scouts of America for successfully completing all the requirements for Scouting's highest rank; and

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of America encourages Eagle Scout candidates to complete worthy projects to improve their neighborhoods and community; and

WHEREAS, Chase Ortlieb planned, developed and constructed two gates, which were installed on both ends of a portion of the Oneida Rail Trail Project; one on Seneca Street near the high school and the other on Sayles Street, to keep motorized vehicles off the trail ; and

WHEREAS, Chase Ortlieb's persistent progress through the ranks to achieve this prestigious award demonstrates his determination to prepare himself for a meaningful, productive role in society; now therefore

I, LEO N. MATZKE, MAYOR of the City of Oneida, do hereby proclaim Saturday, June 11, 2016 as:

"EAGLE SCOUT CHASE ORTLIEB DAY"

in the City of Oneida and urge our citizens to honor and commend his dedication and outstanding accomplishments in attaining the highest ranking in Boy Scouts.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Oneida, New York to be affixed this 10th day of June, 2016.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Leo N. Matzke".

LEO N. MATZKE