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Proclamation



- WHEREAS:** Nova Southeastern University (NSU) was established in Fort Lauderdale, Florida on December 4, 1964, founded as Nova University of Advanced Technology; and
- WHEREAS:** in 1978, Southeastern College of Osteopathic Medicine, was advocated by pioneer physicians committed to establishing a college of osteopathic medicine in the Southeast, later evolving into Southeastern University of Health and Sciences; and
- WHEREAS:** in 1974, Nova University merged with Southeastern University of Health and Sciences to form Nova Southeastern University; and
- WHEREAS:** NSU has grown from an initial student body of 17 graduate students to the 9th largest private not-for-profit university in the nation serving 27,000 students; and
- WHEREAS:** NSU is one of only 37 universities, out of more than 4,000, that hold the dual designation of both "high research" and "community engaged" by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching; and
- WHEREAS:** through five decades of explosive growth, NSU's reputation for academic excellence, research, and innovation has grown on its 314 acre Fort Lauderdale-Davie campus and throughout Florida, the United States and countries around the world.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, that I, Lamar Fisher, Mayor, on behalf of the City Commission of Pompano Beach, Florida do hereby proclaim the fourth day of December 2014, as:

"NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY 50TH ANNIVERSARY DAY"

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the residents of Pompano Beach, Florida pay tribute to the contributions that Nova Southeastern University has made to the Pompano Beach community.

DONE this 7TH day of November 2013.



LAMAR FISHER
MAYOR