

Proclamation

WHEREAS, in 1982, the “Bikes for Kids” program was started by Rita and Rick Case in conjunction with the local Boys and Girls Clubs in an effort to distribute new and pre-owned bicycles during the holiday season to those children whose holiday may be less than bright; and

WHEREAS, this program teaches kids a valuable lesson about the joys of giving as well as providing a much appreciated gift for children who might otherwise not hope to receive such a present; and

WHEREAS, over 100,000 bicycles have been distributed to joyful new owners; and

WHEREAS, this contribution is significant in terms of effort and spirit by all those young people participating in this worthwhile project; and

WHEREAS, since 2006 represents the 25th anniversary of the inception of the Rita and Rick Case “Bikes for Kids” program, it is hoped that 10,000 bicycles will be received, and given in celebration of the 2006 holiday season.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Davie hereby proclaim Wednesday, December 6th, 2006 as;

RICK CASE BIKES FOR KIDS DAY

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 6th day of December, 2006.

Truex, Mayor

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