

**PROCLAMATION**

**OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BOWIE, MARYLAND**  
**OBSERVING VETERANS' DAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2010**

*WHEREAS, in 1918, on the eleventh hour of the eleventh day in the eleventh month, the “war to end all wars” was over; and*

*WHEREAS, on November 11, 1919, President Woodrow Wilson proclaimed that the reflections of Armistice Day be filled with solemn pride and gratitude; and*

*WHEREAS, in 1954, President Eisenhower signed legislation designating November 11 as Veterans' Day – through which a grateful nation may pay proper homage to all its veterans; and*

*WHEREAS, every November 11<sup>th</sup>, the veterans organizations of Bowie gather with their fellow citizens to recognize the service of all veterans to the United States of America, and this year's event is hosted by the American Legion, Disney-Bell Post 66, Gerald N.T. Muller, Commander.*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED** that the Council of the City of Bowie, Maryland that, as we all gather on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of the 11<sup>th</sup> month, the Council does hereby honor all those men and women who have bravely and proudly served their country as members of the Armed Forces of the United States of America.*

***INTRODUCED AND PASSED** by the Council of the City of Bowie, Maryland and Presented on this 11th day of November, 2010.*

Attest:

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G. Frederick Robinson, Mayor

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Pamela A. Fleming, City Clerk