

# Proclamation



*Jane Castor, Mayor*

**WHEREAS**, the United States Special Operations Command (USSOCOM) is the worldwide headquarters for Special Operations Forces of the United States Military; and

**WHEREAS**, USSOCOM is located at MacDill Air Force Base in Tampa, Florida, and its military members, civilian employees, and their families reside and contribute greatly to our community; and

**WHEREAS**, USSOCOM is hosting Special Operations Forces Week from May 5-8, 2025, at the Tampa Convention Center and surrounding areas, bringing together United States Special Operations Forces and International Partners; and

**WHEREAS**, this conference week is held in conjunction with the Special Operations Forces Industry Conference, which USSOCOM co-hosts with the Global Special Operations Forces Foundation from May 5-8, 2025, bringing together hundreds of businesses and corporations with United States Special Operations Forces leadership; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Tampa is extremely proud of USSOCOM and the outstanding job its military forces and civilian employees are performing locally and worldwide; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Tampa is honored to host the attendees visiting from across the world, and the corporate and business sectors presenting at the Special Operations Forces Industry Conference.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Jane Castor, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the city of Tampa, Florida, do hereby proclaim May 5-8, 2025, as

## **“2025 SPECIAL OPERATIONS FORCES WEEK”**

in the city of Tampa, Florida, and urge all citizens to join me in welcoming all those attending and in thanking them for the extraordinary efforts they are making on our nation’s behalf.

Dated in Tampa, Florida, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2025.



*Jane Castor*  
Mayor