

Bob Buckhorn, Mayor

WHEREAS, The City of Tampa is proud to recognize those businesses and individuals who have made a mark in our city by their economic investment and involvement in the community, and The Krauss Organization, celebrating its *65th Anniversary*, is one such company; and

WHEREAS, The Krauss Organization was founded by Elmer Krauss in Tampa, Florida in 1952, and it has grown to include offices in Hillsborough and Pasco Counties, and is a regional leader in full service commercial real estate with a focus on brokerage, investment sales transactions, and property management; and

WHEREAS, with a mission to care and handle clients' properties as their own, no matter their size, The Krauss Organization treats its clients as business partners and is attentive to their individual needs and objectives, and the company is dedicated to representation with *Experience*, *Integrity* and *Diligence*, and

WHEREAS, with the motto *We succeed when our client succeeds*, The Krauss Organization's management skills have maximized income while reducing expenses for many area commercial endeavors including offices, industrial organizations, land, retail, multifamily complexes and investment businesses; and

WHEREAS, The Krauss Organization, through its smart management, dedication and perseverance serves as a role model for business longevity, and has contributed substantially to Tampa's growth and success for over six decades; and

WHEREAS, the City of Tampa appreciates the contributions of the Krauss Organization has made to the Tampa Bay area for sixty-five years, and wishes them continued success.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bob Buckhorn, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the city of Tampa, Florida, do hereby proclaim Friday, December 1, 2017 as

"THE KRAUSS ORGANIZATION ANNIVERSARY DAY"

in the city of Tampa, Florida, and urge all citizens to join me in congratulating them on this special 65th Anniversary milestone occasion.

Dated in Tampa, Florida, this 7th day of November, 2017.

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