Office of the Mayor

Proclamation

Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day

75th Anniversary

WHEREAS: December 7, 2016, marks the 75th Anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor the American Army and Naval Base in Hawaii; and

WHEREAS: on this day we remember the 2,403 Americans who lost their lives; and

WHEREAS: commemorating the attack on Pearl Harbor instills a greater understanding of, and appreciation for, selfless service and sacrifice of those who served in the United States Armed Forces during World War II; and

WHEREAS: the Township of Monroe recognizes and encourages the efforts of the Sons and Daughters of Pearl Harbor Survivors to keep their parents' legacy, bravery, and heroism in the minds of current and future residents; and

WHEREAS: individuals, organizations and communities throughout our Country and throughout the State of New Jersey will gather on this 75th Anniversary to perform acts of charity, to pray, and to comfort and support one another as they honor our nation and the memory of those who lost their lives on December 7, 1941;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GERALD W. TAMBURRO, Mayor of the Township of Monroe, do hereby proclaim **December 7, 2016** as the **75th Anniversary of Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day** in the Township of Monroe.

Dated: October 21, 2016

MAYOR GERALD W. TAMBURRO