

Proclamation



**CITY OF NORTHAMPTON
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

RUTH L. WHEELER DAY May 11, 2016

- WHEREAS, Wednesday May 11th, 2016 is designated as Ruth L. Wheeler Day and is an opportunity for every citizen to pay tribute to the longest serving VA Volunteer of this Nation in recognition of her 65-years and more than 25, 000 hours service to Veterans as a member of the American Legion Auxiliary; and
- WHEREAS, Every citizen of Northampton is asked to pay tribute and express appreciation to our very generous neighbor; and
- WHEREAS, It is recommended to follow Ruth's inspirational devotion and encourage volunteerism; and
- WHEREAS, appropriate recognition should be afforded to every Veteran, especially those who were wounded, injured, or became ill during their period of service;
- NOW, THEREFORE, I, David J. Narkewicz, Mayor of Northampton, Massachusetts do hereby proclaim May 11, 2016 to be:

Ruth L. Wheeler Day

*In Witness whereof, I have set my hand and imprinted
the City seal, this 11th Day of May in the year of 2016*



A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "David J. Narkewicz".

Mayor David J. Narkewicz