

ONE CITY. ONE JACKSONVILLE

WHEREAS: Winn-Dixie, operated under Southeastern Grocers, Inc., has proudly served

its hometown of Jacksonville since 1925; and

WHEREAS: Deeply-rooted in the North Florida community, Winn-Dixie is proud to be the

neighborhood grocer of choice; and

WHEREAS: Winn-Dixie cares passionately about the people in our community. For

decades Winn-Dixie has proudly fought against food insecurity, heart disease, childhood cancer, and breast cancer, and has championed for military veterans and their families, disaster relief, and many other causes;

and

WHEREAS: Giving is a part of Winn-Dixie's culture and the neighborhood grocery holds

charitable partnerships with local schools, food banks, hospitals,

organizations, and other groups; and

WHEREAS: Winn-Dixie recognized the need to support the North Jacksonville community

and committed to hosting four weekly food pantries to provide vital access to fresh produce, shelf-stable food, and everyday essentials for nearly 4,000 families Northwest Jacksonville neighbors in need during the construction of

the new Brentwood store; and

WHEREAS: Winn-Dixie continues to serve Northwest Jacksonville neighborhoods and

invest back into this great community of Brentwood by offering the freshest quality of products available, a range of job opportunities for residents, and a

sincerely giving spirit.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LENNY CURRY, by virtue of the authority vested in me as mayor of Jacksonville, Florida, do hereby proclaim February 12, 2020 as

WINN-DIXIE DAY

in Jacksonville and encourage all citizens to recognize the tremendous impact of quality of life, economic development, and community service that Winn-Dixie has invested in Brentwood with the opening of its new store to save the community from an impending food desert.

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IN WITNESS THEREOF, this 10th day of february in the year Two Thousand Tuerty

MAYOR