PROCLAMATION

BOYCE ATEN AMERICAN LEGION CENTENNIAL DAY

WHEREAS, The American Legion has been a staunch advocate for veterans and their families since 1909; and

WHEREAS, The American Legion was founded on the four pillars of care for veterans, a strong national defense, Americanism, and children and youth; and

WHEREAS, The American Legion has played a leading role in initiatives and breakthroughs that have affected the lives of Americans in every community, from U.S. Flag Code to the GI Bill;; and

WHEREAS, Post 25 has fulfilled the Legion's mission since 1919 through programs such as Troop, Family & Youth Support, Boys State, Homeless Veterans, Scouting, Volunteering and more; ;and

WHEREAS, The American Legion is celebrating its centennial in 2018-1019.

NOW, THEREFORE, I Robert Amparano the Mayor of the City of Imperial, do hereby proclaim August 7, 2019 as "Boyce Aten American Legion Post 25 Centennial Day."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official seal of the City of Imperial on this 7th day of August, 2019.

Robert Amparano, Mayor