PROCLAMATION BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE THAT OCTOBER 3, 2020 SHALL BE LIBRARY SERVICES VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION DAY IN THE CITY OF COMMERCE

WHEREAS, to encourage an environment in which volunteers can flourish, the City Council of the City of Commerce has adopted the goal of continuing a program that promotes community organizations and encourages volunteerism; and

WHEREAS, the Library Services Department relies on volunteers who serve on our Veterans Resource Center, Social Services Division, and Literacy Center; and

WHEREAS, everyday, volunteers help shape the policies that keep our Library moving forward in the right direction and their impact can be felt throughout the community; and

WHEREAS, there over 50 volunteers in our Library Services Department who give their time and effort to help others through our Adult Learning program, Commerce Kids Reads program, Citizenship Classes, ESL classes, Embajadoras, Veterans Resource Center, Social Services programs, Teen programs; and

WHEREAS, our Library volunteers have volunteered over 3,000 hours of service in the year; and

WHEREAS, the City of Commerce recognizes the need to recognized the Library Volunteers and their impact the community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, IVAN ALTAMIRANO, AS THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE, CALIFORNIA DO HEREBY DECLARE ON THIS 15TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2020 THAT OCTOBER 3RD 2020 IS OFFICIALLY DESIGNATED AS "LIBRARY SERVICES VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION DAY" IN THE CITY OF COMMERCE.

Signed this 15TH day of September, 2020.

	Ivan Altamirano Mayor	
ATTEST:		
Lena Shumway City Clerk		