PROCLAMATION

General Aviation Appreciation Month 2018

- **WHEREAS,** The City of Millington, in the State of Tennessee, has a significant interest in the continued vitality of general aviation, aircraft manufacturing, aviation educational institutions, aviation organizations, and community airports; and
- WHEREAS, General aviation and the Charles W. Baker Airport have an immense economic impact on Millington; and
- WHEREAS, Tennessee boasts a robust network of public commercial and general aviation airports, serving more than 12, 000 pilots and 4,000 general aviation aircraft; and
- WHEREAS, General aviation not only supports Tennessee's economy, it improves overall quality of life by supporting emergency medical and healthcare services, law enforcement, firefighting and disaster relief, and by transporting business travelers to their destinations quickly and safely; and
- *WHEREAS,* The nation's aviation infrastructure represents an important public benefit.
- NOW THEREFORE, I, Terry Jones, Mayor of the City of Millington, Tennessee, do hereby proclaim general aviation a vital strategic resource to the City of Millington, and declare March as GENERAL AVIATON APPRECIATION MONTH in the City of Millington.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, *I have hereunto set my hand in the City of Millington on this 12th day of March, 2018.*

9UOS Terry Jones, Mayor

