



Proclamation

City of Owatonna

WHEREAS Willie Grubish has been selected by his peers as the 2019 Firefighter of the Year; and

WHEREAS Willie has served on the Owatonna Fire Department for four years, as a Paid-On Call Fire Fighter, and

WHEREAS Willie was born in Owatonna, graduated from the Owatonna High School and attended Minnesota State University in Mankato, and

WHEREAS Willie left Minnesota for several years to work in the Sioux Falls South Dakota area doing construction work framing custom homes and returned home, (Owatonna) at the encouragement of his brother-in-law and at-the-time fellow firefighter, Brad Busho, and

WHEREAS Willie works full-time at Modern Metal Products. He admits to a habit of collecting shoes and enjoys sports, especially golf, softball and fishing. He likes to spend time with his family, friends and fellow firefighters with whom he is proud to serve beside.

NOW THEREFORE I, Thomas A Kuntz, Mayor of the Great City of Owatonna, hereby proclaim Thursday, October 10, 2019 as:

WILLIE GRUBISH DAY

and I call upon all Owatonna citizens to help us celebrate with Willie when he will be recognized as the 2019 Fire Fighter of the Year at the Fire Fighter of the Year Banquet hosted by the Exchange Club of Owatonna at the Owatonna Eagles Club.

Dated: October 1, 2019

By:

Handwritten signature of Thomas A. Kuntz in black ink.
Thomas A. Kuntz, Mayor

