

Office of the Mayor
Pete Sehnert

P Proclamation

Whereas: America is the land of freedom, preserved and protected willingly and freely by citizen soldiers; and

Whereas: Millions who have answered the call to arms have died on the field of battle; and

Whereas: A nation at peace must be reminded of the price of war and the debt owed to those who have died in war; and

Whereas: The red poppy has been designated as a symbol of sacrifice of lives in all wars; and

Whereas: The American Legion Auxiliary has pledged to remind America annually of this debt through distribution of the memorial flower;

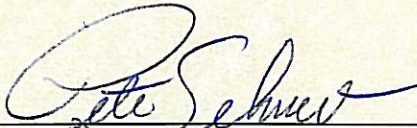
Now, Therefore, I, Pete Sehnert, Mayor of the City of Findlay, Ohio, do hereby proclaim May 22 and 23, 2009, to be:

American Legion Poppy Days

And ask that all citizens pay tribute to those who have made the ultimate sacrifice in the name of freedom by wearing the Memorial Poppy on these days.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Findlay, Ohio, to be affixed this 20th day of March 2009.




Pete Sehnert, Mayor