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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. believed in a nation of freedom and justice for all, and challenged all citizens to help build a more perfect union and live up to the purpose and potential of America; and

WHEREAS, Dr. King had a dream – a vision of a world free of hatred and injustice – and his vision has changed the face of American society and continues to inspire people around the world; and

WHEREAS, the theme for this years' Annual Martin Luther King Jr. luncheon is: "The Power of Love....Building Bridges, Tearing Down Walls"; and

WHEREAS, we reflect on his words and vision, and we honor the man who taught by his example that nonviolent action is the most powerful, revolutionary force for social change;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wilfred Rosas, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Dunkirk, New York, do hereby proclaim Monday, January 15, 2018 as

"DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY"

in Dunkirk, as a memorial to this ecumenical leader of non-violence in the crusade for human rights; urging all residents to join me in rededicating ourselves to the principles of justice and equality for all.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I
have hereunto set my hand
and caused the Seal of the
City of Dunkirk, New York
to be affixed to this
document this 12th day of
January in the year 2018.


WILFRED ROSAS, Mayor