

Town of University Park



Proclamation

On the Occasion of his Retirement

Honoring Kerry (Butch) Hall's 50 years of service to the Town of University Park

Whereas, Mr. Hall began working on July 1, 1966 at the age of 16 cutting grass by hand with a scythe; and

Whereas, he has served as the Town Mechanic for the past 35 years, and has demonstrated an extraordinary commitment and skill for maintaining Town vehicles and equipment; and

Whereas, he personally customized all leaf collection equipment to allow for better navigation of Town streets and to optimize collection efficiency; and

Whereas, as "Snow Boss" for more than 20 years, he guided snow removal operations and has been present to serve in every snow fall in Town for 50 years, spending many nights sleeping in a cot, chair or vehicle to ensure Town streets and sidewalks were cleared; and

Whereas, he has been a dependable employee with an invaluable ability to connect with vendors and suppliers for hard to find parts or supplies sometimes making the seemingly impossible possible; and

Whereas, he has exhibited a genuine devotion and resolve to provide exceptional service to the residents of University Park; and

Whereas, for the past year, he has taken on the challenging dual role as Mechanic and Public Works Supervisor; and

Whereas, the people of University Park, Maryland recognize the contribution of Kerry (Butch) Hall to our community and the important role he has served.

Now, Therefore, The Mayor and Council of University Park, Maryland, does proclaim its congratulations to Kerry (Butch) Hall on the occasion of his retirement and declare November 1, 2016 Kerry (Butch) Hall Day in University Park.

This 17th day of October, 2016

Lenford C. Carey Mayor,

