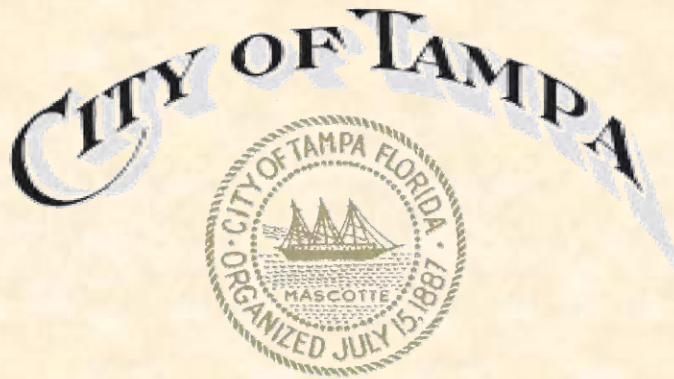


Proclamation



PAM IORIO, MAYOR

WHEREAS, the Tampa Bay Muslim Alliance (TBMA) represents the 25,000 strong American Muslim community in the Tampa Bay area and has contributed greatly to the welfare and development of our city; and

WHEREAS, the TMBA has been promoting peace, harmony, brotherhood, education, charity, and interfaith dialogue and has shown an active interest in the social, cultural and educational progress of our community; and

WHEREAS, the TBMA has actively participated in meetings promoting peace and harmony between all ethnic and religious groups in America, particularly since the tragic events of September 11, 2001; and

WHEREAS, they are also dedicated to the uplifting of the American family by restoring family bonds and moral values; and

WHEREAS, they are committed to the health of all citizens of the Tampa Bay area by providing free medical advice and care to the poor, needy and aged of our community as well as assistance to the hungry and homeless; and

WHEREAS, TBMS will be hosting the 10th annual Islamic Charity Festival on May 6, 2007 which will feature entertainment, clothing and toy giveaways, ethnic foods, games and clowns, and free medical advice and care to those in attendance.

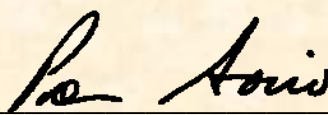
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Pam Iorio, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Tampa, Florida, do hereby proclaim May 6, 2007 as

"ISLAMIC CHARITY FESTIVAL DAY"

in the City of Tampa, Florida, and encourage all citizens to join me in expressing appreciation to this group of citizens who have done so much for our community.

Dated in Tampa, Florida, this 13th day of April, 2007.





Mayor