ORDINANCE NO. 590

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF BELLEAIR, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE DESIGN FOR THE OFFICIAL TOWN SEAL OF THE TOWN OF BELLEAIR; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFILICT HEREWITH; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town has an official seal that is utilized for authenticating official documents, and the current seal exists only in an embosser format, thus necessitating the need for a redesign; and

WHEREAS, Section 165.043, Florida Statutes, provides that the governing body of a county or municipality may, by ordinance, designate an official county or municipal seal; and

WHEREAS, the timing is appropriate for making the update to the official seal as the Town is celebrating its centennial year, and the new design includes the 1925 incorporation date; and

WHEREAS, the Town Commission finds that it is in the best interests of the Town, including its officials and employees, to update the seal to assist in the performance of their official duties; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Commission of the Town of Belleair, Florida, that:

Section 1. That the official seal of the Town of Belleair, is hereby adopted as the design attached on **Exhibit A** hereto and made a part hereof.

Section 2. The Town Clerk is directed to order the appropriate supplies and discontinue use of the former seal as soon as reasonably possible.

Section 3. Adoption of the seal design is not a replacement of the official logos previously adopted by the Town Commission in 2018.

Section 3. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, provision or word of this Ordinance is held unconstitutional or otherwise legally invalid, same shall be severable and the remainder of this Ordinance shall not be affected by such invalidity, such that any remainder of the Ordinance shall withstand any severed provision, as the Town Commission would have adopted the Ordinance and its regulatory scheme even absent the invalid part.

Section 4. Pursuant to Florida Statutes § 166.041(4), this Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

ADOPTED ON FIRST READING by the Town Commission of the Town of Belleair, Florida, at the meeting held on the 21st day of October, 2025.

PUBLISHED on the 5th day of November, 2025.

PASSED AND ADOPTED ON SECOND READING by the Town Commission of the Town of Belleair, Florida, at the meeting held on the 18th day of November, 2025.

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Mike Wilkinson, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Christine Nicole, CPM, MMC, Town Clerk