

*Office of the Mayor*  
*Township of Bordentown*

*Proclamation*

**WHEREAS**, George Hartmann Haas was married to Rose Haas, (now deceased), then remarried to Margaret, (Peg), Haas and was a life-long resident of Bordentown Township. He attended St. Mary's School and William MacFarland High School in the city of Bordentown; and

**WHEREAS**, George has five children, George Jr., Judy, Robert, Michael and Patricia and two Stepchildren, Beverly Wagner and Donna Bonsanto and seven Grandchildren, Matt Rosenberg, Amy Schwartz, Amanda Boyce, Alicia Kalojiannis, Austin Bonsanto, Kimberly Wagner, Kristin Wyzykowski, and Great Grandchildren, Sydney Rosenberg, Sam Schwartz, Lily Boyce, Madelyn Boyce, Aiden Boyce, Nicholas Kalojiannis, Evan Kalojiannis, Emily Wyzykowski and Zachary Wyzykowski; and

**WHEREAS**, George was the Director of the Base Civil Engineer Control Center at McGuire AFB; he served in the United States Army 495th Signal Heavy Construction Company from 1942-1945. He was a Technical Sgt., an Army Radio Operator 777, and a Rifle Sharpshooter and worked for the Air Force to break codes during WWII and the Korean and Vietnam wars. He received a Good Conduct Medal for serving in the United States Army; and

**WHEREAS**, George is active in many clubs such as the Bordentown Township Senior Citizen's Club, AARP and Class of 1936 Reunion Committee. He has many hobbies that include amateur radio, crossword puzzles, dominoes, growing pineapples, traveling, gardening and spending time with his loved ones.

**WHEREAS**, George was born April 21, 1918 and is turning 100 years old on April 21, 2018 and we would like to commend and celebrate his birthday.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I Steve Benowitz, Mayor, Township of Bordentown, County of Burlington and State of New Jersey, do hereby proclaim, George Haas as an outstanding citizen, and a decorated veteran that deserves to be recognized for his achievements and contributions to this community, his family and country.



Steve Benowitz, Mayor