

Office of the Mayor  
CITY OF NEW ROCHELLE



# Proclamation

**W**hereas:

ALBERT "BOOP" GALLELLO WILL BE HONORED AS THE GRAND MARSHALL OF THE 43RD ANNUAL VALENTI-NEW ROCHELLE TRANSMIGRATING PARADE; AND

WHEREAS: BOOP GALLELLO WAS INTRODUCED TO BOXING AT AGE 12, AND WENT TO BE A CHAMPION WELTERWEIGHT BOXER IN THE COUNTRY; AND

WHEREAS: BOOP GALLELLO HAS CONTINUED HIS BOXING CAREER TO THIS DAY AS A FIGHT TRAINER, MANAGER AND DISTRIBUTOR OF THE BEST AMATEUR AND PROFESSIONAL FIGHTERS IN WESTCHESTER COUNTY AND CONNECTICUT AND WAS INDUCTED INTO THE NEW ROCHELLE SPORTS HALL OF FAME IN 1999 FOR HIS EFFORTS; AND

WHEREAS: BOOP GALLELLO CONTINUES HIS SERVICE TO THE PUBLIC AS A LEGISLATIVE AIDE TO REPRESENTATIVE HOWARD TROTTI FOR TWENTY-TWO YEARS, ALONG WITH MANY OTHER SOLIDIFIED EFFORTS; AND

WHEREAS: BOOP GALLELLO WILL BE HONORED ALONG THE PARADE ROUTE BY THOUSANDS OF SPECTATORS AND WE WISH THAT OUR ENTIRE CITIZENRY OF NEW ROCHELLE SHOULD JOIN IN THOSE EFFORTS TO REMEMBER ALMOST SEVENTY YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE BOXING PROFESSION AND THE CITY OF NEW ROCHELLE.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, THOMAS C. DEWEI, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF NEW ROCHELLE, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2005 AS :

" ALBERT "BOOP" GALLELLO DAY "

IN THE CITY OF NEW ROCHELLE AND ASK ALL NEW ROCHELLEANS TO BRING HOMES TO THIS GREAT ATHLETE, AND PRIDE TO OUR CITY.

DONE AT NEW ROCHELLE, NEW YORK THIS 18TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2005

THOMAS C. DEWEI, MAYOR