

# OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Executive Order

## PROCLAMATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETINGS:

**Whereas**, Omer Wayne Brown, demonstrated his love and commitment to service for our community and country, early in his life. Graduating from Rising Sun High School, Class of 1968; and

**Whereas**, Omer proudly served his country in the U.S Army during the Vietnam War, achieving the rank of SP4. While in service, Omer received the National Defense Service Medal; and

**Whereas**, Omer served within the American Legion Post #59 as past commander, color guard member and bar manager; and

**Whereas**, Omer was employed as an expeditor in bottling at Seagram's Distillery in Lawrenceburg, IN for 22 years, retiring in 2007; and

**Whereas**, Omer was very involved in his community and served as Mayor of Rising Sun from January 1984 to December 1987; and

**Whereas**, Omer was also a former Rising Sun Volunteer Fire Department member and former Lions Club member. He also enjoyed being a youth baseball coach; and

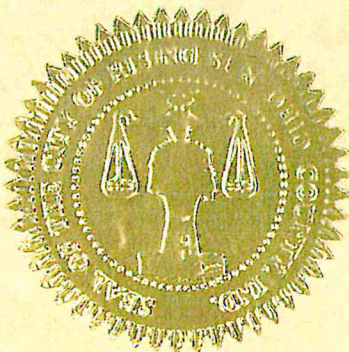
**Whereas**, Omer married Mary (Mays) Brown on July 9<sup>th</sup>, 1979 in Gatlinburg, TN. Nearly 40 years ago; and

**Whereas**, through his friendship and community service, enriched Rising Sun and Ohio County.

**Now, Therefore, I, Brent Bascom, Mayor of the City of Rising Sun, Indiana, do hereby proclaim the 11th day of May, 2019 as**

### Omer Brown Day

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the City of Rising Sun, Indiana, on this 8th day of May, 2019.



A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brent Bascom".

**Brent Bascom, Mayor  
City of Rising Sun, Indiana**