

**IN RECOGNITION OF LEN ROSSI'S INDUCTION INTO THE
PROFESSIONAL WRESTLING HALL OF FAME**

WHEREAS, the Town of Nolensville strongly advocates healthy lifestyle choices, athletic excellence, and good sportsmanship; and,

WHEREAS, Mr. Len Rossi (born Len Rositano) became one of the most celebrated professional wrestlers in the history of the sport based on his “good-guy” persona and innovative special moves such as the Boston Crab and sleeper hold to eliminate his “evil” opponents; and,

WHEREAS, during his career, Mr. Rossi earned the admiration of the public, the National Wrestling Alliance (NWA), and the entire professional wrestling community; and,

WHEREAS, the New York native chose middle Tennessee as his home in 1958, and although his career in professional wrestling ended prematurely after an automobile accident, Mr. Rossi and his family remained in Tennessee; and,

WHEREAS, Mr. Rossi settled in Nolensville in 1985 and to this day serves the community promoting healthy lifestyles through his retail business since his retirement from professional wrestling; and,

WHEREAS, Mr. Len Rossi was recently inducted into the NWA Hall of Fame and recognized by the association as one of the greatest wrestlers of all time.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE TOWN OF NOLENSVILLE, TENNESSEE DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THAT WE HONOR AND COMMEND LEN ROSSI ON HIS ATHLETIC CAREER, INDUCTION INTO THE NWA HALL OF FAME, AND CONTINUED COMMITMENT TO THE COMMUNITY.



IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the great seal of the Town of Nolensville to be affixed at Nolensville, Tennessee this 4th day of August, 2016.

Jimmy Alexander, Mayor

Walter T. Dugger, III, Alderman

Larry Felts, Alderman

Jason Patrick, Alderman

Brian Snyder, Alderman