

Mayoral Proclamation

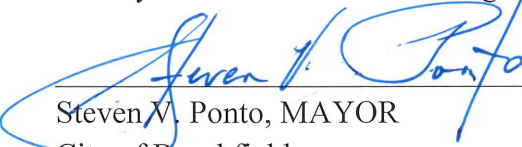
- WHEREAS, Ruth Yankus was born on March 26, 1918 in Kenosha, Wisconsin of Danish parents and lived in Kenosha for much of her life; and
- WHEREAS, Ruth was happily married for 48 years to Edward Yankus until his passing on January 27, 1988; and
- WHEREAS, Ruth and Edward had two children who went on to bless them with 5 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren; and
- WHEREAS, Ruth has been a member of the Danish Sisterhood Lodge in Kenosha for over 50 years and has always been very involved in her church; and
- WHEREAS, Ruth moved to the City of Brookfield 15 years ago where she enjoyed the many activities at the Brookfield Senior Center and was always very helpful including helping to serve lunch for many years; and
- WHEREAS, Ruth has traveled to Denmark and around the United States particularly enjoying Florida, Missouri, Oregon, Arizona, and Hawaii as well as numerous trips with her family to lakes here in Wisconsin; and
- WHEREAS, Ruth loves to be busy and meet new people; participates in many activities, including field trips, at Luther Manor where she has lived the last three years, and is blessed with an optimistic, upbeat attitude which is an inspiration to all;
- NOW, THEREFORE, I, Steven V. Ponto, Mayor of the City of Brookfield, on behalf of all of the residents of this community, congratulate

Ruth Yankus

on achieving the milestone of her 100th birthday, thank her for her service to our community, and wish her many more years of enjoyable and satisfying retirement.



Signed and sealed this 7th day of April,
in the year Two Thousand and Eighteen.


Steven V. Ponto, MAYOR
City of Brookfield