

## TOWN OF FALMOUTH RESOLUTION

Falmouth Memorial Library Month WHEREAS, Falmouth Memorial Library opened its doors in 1952 to honor all Falmouth veterans, and has continuously served the Town for 65 years; and WHEREAS, The Falmouth Memorial Library enhances the quality of life in our community by fostering a love of lifelong learning, connecting people of all ages in a safe and comfortable environment, and providing free and open access to information; and WHEREAS, Falmouth Memorial Library staff circulate nearly 165,205 materials, answer 8,375 reference questions, and host more than 778 education and literacy programs attended by over 17,760 children and adults per year; and WHEREAS, Dedicated volunteers and the Library Board of Trustees donate time to help fulfill the mission of the library by working with Falmouth Memorial Library staff; and WHEREAS, September is Library Card Sign-up Month, a time when the American Library Association and libraries nationwide join together to remind parents, caregivers, and students that signing up for a library card is the first step toward academic achievement and lifelong learning. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FALMOUTH ASSEMBLED THIS 11th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2017, THAT: The Town Council proclaims September 2017 as Falmouth Memorial Library Month and urges all residents to visit and support our Library.

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_
Ellen Planer, Town Clerk