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MEMORANDUM

TO: Tom Berger, Director of Real Estate Management and Development
Wayne Poston, Mayor, City of Bradenton
Stephen R. Jonsson, County Commissioner, Manatee County

FROM: Governor Ron DeSantis

DATE: November 14, 2019

RE: Flags at Half-Staff in Honor of United States Army Specialist Nicholas Panipinto

On Wednesday, November 6, 2019, United States Army Specialist Nicholas Panipinto died during training in an armored vehicle accident in Seoul, South Korea. Panipinto was assigned to the First Cavalry Division's Third Armored Brigade Combat Team out of Fort Hood, Texas. He was also a dedicated member of the Ghost Battalion and Greywolf Brigade.

As a mark of respect for United States Army Specialist Nicholas Panipinto, I hereby direct the flags of the United States and the State of Florida to be flown at half-staff at the Manatee County Clerk of Circuit Court in Bradenton, Florida, the City Hall in Bradenton, Florida, and at the State Capitol in Tallahassee, Florida from sunrise to sunset on Friday, November 15, 2019.

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