## FROM THE GOVERNING BODY OF ASHLAND, ALABAMA

## **PROCLAIMATION**

WHEREAS, Eli Sims was diagnosed with Hepatoblastoma Cancer in December 2015, at the age of 21 months; and

WHEREAS, Eli Sims and his family are currently bravely battling Hapatoblastoma Cancer, and

WHEREAS, Eli Sims and his brothers Collin Sims, and Noah Sims will be recognized as honorary firefighters by the Ashland Fire Department on December 08, 2016; and

WHEREAS, Eli Sims will act as the Grand Marshall for the City of Ashland's annual Christmas Parade on December 08, 2016; and

NOW THEREFORE, the governing body of the City of Ashland, that in honoring this courageous young boy, we proclaim the  $8^{th}$  day of December 2016 as

## **ELI SIMS DAY**

A day of celebration in the City of Ashland. Passed and adopted this 5th day of December 2016.

Mayor Larry J. Fetner

Council Members

Billy J. Smith

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