WHEREAS, George Saxon, Jr. is celebrating his 60th birthday this year; loved by family and friends, they have put together a compilation video of birthday messages to wish him a very happy birthday and many more wonderful years ahead; and

WHEREAS, George was born and raised in the Pittsburgh area, and attended Riverview High School before going to California University of Pennsylvania; after graduation, he began his career at Conco Systems; a lifelong athlete engaged in multiple sports, he met his beautiful and intelligent wife of 35 years while running in Riverside Park; the two married in 1985, adopted two miniature schnauzers and became the parents of two beautiful daughters, Madeline and Maura; and

WHEREAS, George and his wife moved to Hermosa Beach, CA where he represented Conco in the West Coast region; the two would eventually return to Pittsburgh and purchase a home in Highland Park where they have now lived for 32 years; and
WHEREAS, a skilled salesman, George established and managed the Conco Systems International and Marketing Departments; he began traveling internationally to areas including Saudi Arabia, India, Spain, China, Japan and New Zealand and established offices in Belgium and Australia; he would also further his education by earning an MBA, with honors, from Duquesne University; and

WHEREAS, George’s successful career has produced numerous awards and accolades; he was named Fellow of the American Society for Mechanical Engineers, he is a published author within the power generation industry, and was key in Conco Systems being named Family Business of the Year by the Small Business Association in 2019; and

WHEREAS, scheduled to officially retire in 2021, George is planning the next chapter in his life; with hobbies including meditation, golfing, sailing, skeet shooting, practicing the piano and playing board games with his family, he has much to keep him busy; known for his genuine kindness and sense of humor, he is sure to continue to be a positive influence in the lives of many; we are truly fortunate to have him here in Allegheny County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, County Executive Rich Fitzgerald, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby proclaim December 8, 2020, as “George Saxon, Jr. Day” in Allegheny County, and wish him a very happy 60th birthday as well as health and happiness in all his years to come.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the County of Allegheny to be affixed this 8th day of December, 2020.

Rich Fitzgerald