



# CITY OF WINTER SPRINGS

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## Local Scout donates flag retirement drop boxes to City of Winter Springs



*L to R Richard Otto American Legion Post 243, Winter Springs Mayor Kevin McCann Luke Everson and Matt Everson*

**WINTER SPRINGS, Fla.-** Residents in Winter Springs can now respectfully retire old, or faded American flags thanks to the efforts of one local Scout.

Luke Everson with Troop 617 of Oviedo presented one of two flag retirement drop boxes he built to Winter Springs Mayor Kevin McCann at City Hall May 2, 2023.

Luke says he came up with the idea to build the boxes as part of his Eagle Scout project and to honor family members and local veterans.

"I have a lot of family members who are veterans. I wanted to do something important to me," Luke said.

Flags placed in the boxes will be picked up by American Legion Post 243 to be retired per U.S. Flag Code.

Residents can drop off worn flags at either the Winter Springs City Hall lobby at 1126 East State Road 434 or the Winter Springs Police Department lobby at 300 North Moss Road, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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