

# Boston

## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS:

The Children's Museum has served the Boston community in an outstanding manner by helping children understand and enjoy the world in which they live; and

WHEREAS:

The Children's Museum is celebrating Shuku Ten, which is the tenth anniversary celebration of the Kyo no machiya, a replica of a 19th century silk merchant's house given to the Museum by the people of Kyoto, Japan, which is Boston's Sister City; and

WHEREAS:

This exhibit is the only example of domestic Japanese architecture in the United States and it has enabled thousands of children to travel the world, simply by taking off their shoes and crossing its threshold; and

WHEREAS:

As Mayor and on behalf of the people of the City of Boston, we are pleased to bestow our best wishes to Consul General Kensaku and all the invited guests and dignitaries here tonight on this very special occasion as the Children's Museum celebrates Shuku Ten, NOW


THEREFORE,

I, Raymond L. Flynn, Mayor of the City of Boston, do hereby join with the entire Boston community on December 3, 1990 in proclaiming today as

SHUKU TEN

APPRECIATION DAY

in the City of Boston and I urge all my fellow Bostonians to join me in recognizing this truly outstanding special event for its contribution in adding to the quality of life in our City.

  
*Raymond L. Flynn*

MAYOR