PROCLAMATION HONORING DEPUTY CHIEF ROBERT JOHNSON UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE VILLAGE OF LAKE ZURICH AFTER 29 YEARS OF PUBLIC SERVICE

WHEREAS, Robert Johnson began his career with the Lake Zurich Police Department as a patrol officer on June 22, 1995; and

WHEREAS, Robert Johnson served the residents of Lake Zurich as a patrol officer, detective, patrol sergeant, criminal investigations sergeant, field operations commander, and field operations deputy chief; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Chief Johnson served all the residents of Lake County as a member of the Northern Illinois Police Alarm System (NIPAS) Mobile Field Force, and the Northern Illinois Police Alarm System (NIPAS) Emergency Services Team; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Chief Johnson has been recognized on numerous occasions for his work related to significant criminal investigations, administrative excellence, and response to over 200 NIPAS incidents including deployment to Louisiana for Hurricane Katrina; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Chief Johnson served as Lake Zurich Law Enforcement Explorer Post 2 advisor and member of the Lake County Chief of Police Association Legislative Committee for many years; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Chief Johnson officially retired from the Lake Zurich Police Department on July 9, 2024.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that I, Mayor Tom Poynton, on behalf of the Board of Trustees and the citizens of Lake Zurich, do hereby recognize the contribution that Deputy Chief Robert Johnson has made to the citizens of the Village of Lake Zurich during his successful career in law enforcement. I extend my personal best wishes in his well-deserved retirement and for continued success in life's pursuits.

Dated this 5th day of August, 2024.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official Seal of this Village to be affixed.

Tom Poynton

Tom Poynton, Mayor of Lake Zurich