SERVICE COMMENDATION CITY MANAGER'S DEPARTMENT OFFICE MANAGER BETH TASHNICK

WHEREAS, **Beth Tashnick** grew up in Ypsilanti, Michigan and graduated from John Glenn High School. She has fond memories of spending time and working on Sugar Bush Farm, their family farm in Ypsilanti. She received a Bachelor of Science in Chemistry from Eastern Michigan University; and

WHEREAS, **Beth** began her career with the City of Troy on February 26, 1996 as a Clerk Typist in the Finance Department. She was promoted to a Data Processing Clerk on June 2, 1997, promoted to an Account Clerk on October 23, 2000, and promoted to an Administrative Aide on December 21, 2002; and

WHEREAS, Beth was promoted to Office Coordinator in the City Manager's Office on February 14, 2011 and her title was changed to Office Manager on July 1, 2017. In the City Manager's Office, **Beth** always provided excellent customer service and delivered accurate, prompt, and courteous assistance on policies, guidelines, and standard practices to internal and external customers. She provided advanced and varied administrative and technical support for the Manager's Office which each year also included the annual budget; and

WHEREAS, Working with an exceptional and dedicated team, gaining an understanding of the entire organization, constantly learning from different people and different departments, and generally meeting and interacting with everyone are what **Beth** is most proud of. She always loved planning the employee summer BBQ and holiday parties; and

WHEREAS, Beth will retire from the City of Troy on July 3, 2024 after 28 years of dedicated service and the utmost respect from the Troy employees, City Council, residents, and the Troy community; and

WHEREAS, **Beth** will enjoy retirement by spending time with her loving parents, Joseph and Charlene; sister Alecia; sister Jessica and brother-in-law Jason; sisters Andrea and Darian, sister Amanda and brother-in-law Sam; and niece and nephews Addie, Silas, and Declan. She is also awaiting a new niece coming in October.

WHEREAS, Beth is also looking forward to finding more time to be creative, making jewelry and other art; explore authoring a children's book; as well as traveling both for leisure and to spread the word of God. Beth also graduated from Rhema Bible Training Center (Licensed with Rhema Ministerial Association International) and is excited to continue her inspirational work as a worship leader at the Solid Rock Church in Hazel Park, Michigan, with her uncle, Pastor John Bulloch and his wife, Pat;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN, That the Mayor and City Council of the City of Troy take this opportunity to express their appreciation to **Office Manager Beth Tashnick** for her professionalism and many contributions to the City of Troy for the betterment of the community; and

BE IT FURTHER KNOWN, That the Mayor and City Council of the City of Troy, City Management, and the citizens of the City of Troy, extends wishes of prosperity, good health and happiness to **Beth** during her well-deserved retirement years.

Presented the 24th day of June 2024.