

**SERVICE COMMENDATION  
TROY HISTORIC VILLAGE  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR LORAIN CAMPBELL**

**WHEREAS, Loraine Campbell** began her career with the City of Troy in 1976 as an Interpretive Naturalist at the Stage Nature Center. She became an Education Coordinator in 1998 and was promoted to Executive Director of the Troy Historic Village in 2000; and

**WHEREAS, Loraine** oversaw the daily operation and administration of 11 historic structures and a collection of over 8,000 items on local and regional history. She supervised 7 employees and 180 volunteers with interpretive programs servicing 26,000+ guests annually; and

**WHEREAS, Loraine** has a Master of Arts Degree in History, a Certificate in Archive Management, and a Bachelor of Science in Biology from Wayne State University. She is the author of *A Pocketful of Passage*, the editor of *Troy, A City from the Corners*, and co-author of *Fire Calls and Station Stories*; and

**WHEREAS, Loraine** has served on the Michigan Museum Association Board of Directors, 2011-present; Planning Committee for the Michigan Local History Conference, 2007- 2016; and a member of the Troy Kiwanis Club. She was an Adjunct Professor, LIS, at Wayne State University from 2009-2015 and an Adjunct Professor, College of Arts and Science, at Oakland University in 2017; and

**WHEREAS, Loraine** will officially retire from the Troy Historic Village on September 28, 2020 after 20 years of dedicated service and the utmost respect from the City of Troy, the Troy Historical Society, Troy Historic Village employees and volunteers, and countless residents she has met during her career with the City of Troy and the Troy Historic Village. Together with **Loraine's** leadership the Troy Historic Village has expanded its resources and is now recognized as an outstanding center for history and culture.

**WHEREAS, Loraine** will now enjoy more time with her daughters **Emily Berezowski** and **Marie Kappenman**, sons-in-law **Taras Berezowski** and **Justin Kappenman**; and grandchildren **Max and Alexander Berezowski** and **Una, Emmett and Deacon Kappenman**. **Loraine** will also spend a lot of quality time with her parents Madonna and Joseph Killewald as well as birding, gardening, exploring nature, and traveling;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN**, That the Mayor and City Council of the City of Troy take this opportunity to express their appreciation to **Loraine Campbell** for her professionalism and her many contributions to the City of Troy and the Troy Historic Village 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, extend wishes of prosperity, good health and happiness to **Loraine** during her retirement years.

**Presented the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 2020.**