

**PROCLAMATION TO CELEBRATE TROY RESIDENT
RITHVIKA KARRI
ON HER EXCEPTIONAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS
IN THE SPORT OF CRICKET**

WHEREAS, The Cricket community in Michigan is abuzz with excitement as an outstanding athlete emerged as a frontrunner in her age group, positioning herself as a top contender on the national stage; and

WHEREAS, Troy resident and Michigan Youth Cricket (MYCA) player, **Rithvika Karri**, has achieved quite an accomplishment, the first female from Michigan to make the Women's U19 National Squad to represent the United States in the sport of Cricket. Being from Michigan competing at a national level and crossing that finish line at the young age of 14 is just a dream for many. But **Rithvika** achieved this dream; and

WHEREAS, **Rithvika** has been the lone fighter, playing along with the boys for years now. Her hard-work, dedication, perseverance and commitment to the sport is simply unparalleled. She is a true ambassador representing our community; and

WHEREAS, **Rithvika** went through a series of tournaments and landed as a top scorer in the intra-regional competition to secure her spot on the Women's U19 National Squad. As **Rithvika** gears up to represent the United States on the international stage, she embodies the spirit of excellence and determination that defines Cricket. Her achievement serves as inspiration to aspiring athletes nationwide, highlighting the boundless possibilities that await those who dare to dream and strive for greatness;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Troy hereby congratulate **Rithvika Karri** for working tirelessly to excel in the sport of Cricket, bringing pride and positive recognition to the City of Troy; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Troy invite all residents to celebrate **Rithvika Karri's** achievements; wish her much success in all future endeavors; and thank her for being a great role model for our community and exceptional advocate for the sport of Cricket.

Presented this 28th day of October 2024