INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Bodnar and Council as a Whole

NO. 2021-19

## A RESOLUTION HONORING MAYFIELD VILLAGE **BUILDING COMMISSIONER JOHN MARRELLI UPON HIS RETIREMENT**

WHEREAS, on January 30, 2004, John Marrelli was hired by Mayor Bruce G. Rinker as the Building Commissioner for Mayfield Village; and

WHEREAS, throughout his tenure, John has been instrumental in assisting the Mayor, Village Council, the Planning & Zoning Commission, the Board of Zoning Appeals and the Architectural Review Board in their duties regarding zoning, land use, and building issues that affect Mayfield Village, spending numerous evenings at meetings and becoming a friend and mentor to many new members:

WHEREAS, in addition to the everyday tasks of issuing permits, reviewing plans, and performing inspections, John spent the past 17 years artfully dealing with a diverse range of people and neighborhood disputes, always with an eye toward resolving issues through diplomacy rather than escalating tensions. He has truly been a neighborhood ambassador; and

WHEREAS, John has provided leadership and guidance for many of the improvement projects completed in and by the Village, including improvements to the Civic Center, planning, design and construction of the Police Station, the Community Room, and the Parkledge and Montebello residential developments; and

WHEREAS, John has distinguished himself as a dedicated public servant, at all times committed to helping the community, administering building code regulations with a sense of fairness, and building cooperative relationships with residents, local business owners, contractors, and other government organizations; and

WHEREAS, John's colleagues know him as a calm, steady co-worker and friend who takes pride in his work and is always ready to lend support or help when needed. We will miss his quiet good humor and kindness.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF MAYFIELD VILLAGE, OHIO, THAT:

Building Commissioner John Marrelli is hereby recognized and thanked for 17 years of dedication and commitment to Mayfield Village. On behalf of residents, business owners, department heads and staff, we congratulate him on the occasion of his retirement and wish him continued success and many years of health and happiness spending time with his lovely wife Meg, their children and grandchildren.

**RESOLUTION ADOPTED: June 7, 2021**