

CONGRATULATING MAYFIELD VILLAGE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE RONALD C. WYNNE ON HIS RETIREMENT AND THANKING HIM FOR 15 YEARS OF EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE TO MAYFIELD VILLAGE

WHEREAS, in 2009, Ronald C. Wynne was hired by Mayor Bruce G. Rinker as Mayfield Village's Director of Finance; and

WHEREAS, before bringing his talent and expertise to Mayfield Village, Ron had worked for over 30 years in the private sector as the Vice President and CFO of Arthur Middleton Capital Holdings and as the Senior Vice President and Managing Director at Bowne & Co.; and

WHEREAS, the significance of Ron's role as Director of Finance is impossible to define. Ron surpassed traditional expectations, becoming involved in all facets of Village government. His knowledge, experience, demeanor, and wise perspective made his opinions sought after and respected. His ability to refine financial concepts, making them easily understandable, and his willingness to patiently explain them, was appreciated by us all; and

WHEREAS, Ron's background made the usual aspects of budgeting and running the Village's finances seem like a walk in the park. With his guidance, the Village passed a much-needed income tax increase in 2010 and, under his watchful eye, the Village's annual revenues more than doubled over the next decade. Debt was reduced from \$16 million to \$2 million and reserves increased from \$2 million to \$42 million; and

WHEREAS, when the Covid-19 pandemic hit in 2020 and revenues plummeted, Ron made sure that all the work that had gone into making the Village financially secure was not squandered. Because of his continued diligence and leadership, the Village remains financially secure through sound investments and watchful spending; and

WHEREAS, Ronald C. Wynne has served the community of Mayfield Village with exceptional passion and dedication for 15 years and, although we are all sorry to see him leave, he deserves an opportunity to enjoy life with his family, kick back, play a round of golf, and raise a glass or two.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF MAYFIELD VILLAGE, OHIO, ON THIS OCCASION OF HIS RETIREMENT, THAT:

Director of Finance Ronald C. Wynne is hereby recognized and congratulated for 15 years of exceptional service to Mayfield Village. On behalf of residents, business owners, department heads and staff, we wish him many years of health and happiness with his wonderful wife Debbie, daughter Kelly, son Sean and the newest love of his life, granddaughter Amelia.

RESOLUTION ADOPTED: May 20, 2024

DIANE A. CALTA, ESQ., Director of Law

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