

RESOLUTION 17-17

A RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT THE WELCOMING AND INCLUSIVE COMMUNITY PLEDGE

WHEREAS, the Village of Antioch supports and serves all residents of the Village regardless of their background, and

WHEREAS, we support the Welcoming and Inclusive Community Pledge and commit to calling out hate and discrimination when we see it, and

WHEREAS, we commit to helping promote our core American value that no one should be targeted because of their racial, ethnic, immigration or refugee status, religion, sexual orientation, or other social identities, and

WHEREAS, as public servants we have an even greater responsibility to speak out against discrimination, xenophobia, and hatred because when the unacceptable becomes the norm in our society, human rights for all are threatened, and

WHEREAS, the Welcoming and Inclusive Community Pledge inspires a positive perception of all people and engages individuals to help build a greater capacity for understanding others;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, that the Village publicly endorses the Welcoming and Inclusive Community Pledge and agrees to support and serve all of its citizens and families regardless of their background; and

FURTHER, encourages all residents of the Village of Antioch to sign the Welcoming and Inclusive Community Pledge.

APPROVED this 20th day of March, 2017.

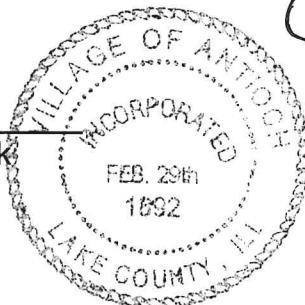
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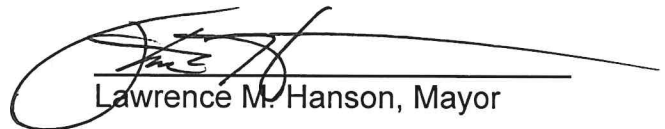
NAYS: 0.

ABSENT: 0.

ATTEST:


Lori K. Romine, Village Clerk




Lawrence M. Hanson, Mayor