

Resolution

RESOLUTION NO. 2019-35

Sponsored by: Council President Mary K. Brown

A RESOLUTION

HONORING, COMMENDING AND CELEBRATING TOM MONHOLLEN ON BEING NAMED A 2019 RECIPIENT OF THE BEREAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE COURTESY AWARD.

WHEREAS, the Berea Chamber of Commerce holds an annual Grindstone Award Banquet for the purpose of honoring, recognizing and celebrating outstanding members of our community; and

WHEREAS, the Berea Chamber of Commerce Courtesy Award identifies and acknowledges community members who have displayed exemplary courtesy in the line of work, going above and beyond in their service to the general public; and

WHEREAS, a recipient of the 2019 Courtesy Award is Tom Monhollen, employed by the Berea Municipal Court for City Hall and Courthouse security; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Monhollen's role in securing City Hall and the Courthouse is a difficult and demanding one, but he continuously manages to maintain the highest level of professionalism, even in the face of adversity, keeping a conscientious smile on his face, and a comforting skip in his step; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Monhollen is a constant presence in the lobby of City Hall, rarely missing a day of work, single-handedly securing Council meetings, remaining alert and attentive at all times, seeking out opportunities to assist the general public and providing peace of mind to every person who steps foot in the building; and

WHEREAS, as one nominator described, Mr. Monhollen "is respectful to everyone, even those who are not respectful to him; he is kind to everyone; he is a friend to everyone, up until the point he has to enforce the rules and maintain a secure facility, at which time he puts his game face on and firmly, albeit appropriately, gets people back in line"; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Monhollen is a great man, a great friend and a great asset to the City and its residents.

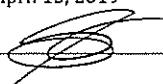
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Berea, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That the Mayor of the City of Berea, the President and all Members of Council, and the Officers of the Administration do hereby honor, commend and celebrate Tom Monhollen on being named a 2019 recipient of the Berea Chamber of Commerce Courtesy Award and do, with grateful hearts, extend our most sincere appreciation and respect to Mr. Monhollen for his unwavering and selfless dedication to the security of the City, the Court and the community at large.

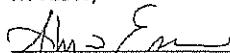
SECTION 2. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the approval of this Resolution were approved in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 3. That this Resolution shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

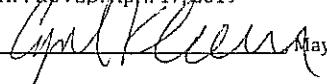
PASSED: April 15, 2019


President of Council

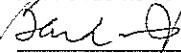
ATTEST:


Clerk of Council

APPROVED: April 17, 2019


Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Director of Law