

A RESOLUTION HONORING JOHN S. VERSHAY FOR HIS 45 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE CITY OF CREST HILL

WHEREAS, John S. Vershay was elected to the position of Alderman Ward One, for the City of Crest Hill, on May 7, 1979, and served in that capacity for the next 45 years as an active and diligent member of the Crest Hill City Council; and

WHEREAS, John S. Vershay, upon the formation of the Crest Hill Police Department, served as one of the first Police Officers to be hired. He also served on numerous City Committees, and was a long-time member of the Crest Hill Lions Club, the Croatian Cultural Club, the Senior Citizen Association, and an avid enthusiast of antique cars; and

WHEREAS, John S. Vershay has served the citizens of Ward One for 45 years, as a steward of Ward One, bringing the voices of his constituents to the City Council with regard to many critical issues with his votes on Intergovernmental Agreements, City Budgets, the construction of two Water/Wastewater Sewage Treatment Plants, a new Public Works Facility, the acquisition of Lake Michigan water with the Grand Prairie Water Commission, and the new City Hall/Police Department complex; and

WHEREAS, John S. Vershay has earned the gratitude of the Citizens of Crest Hill for his dedicated efforts in improving their quality of life and making the City of Crest Hill a better place to live; and

WHEREAS, I, Raymond R. Soliman, by virtue of the authority vested in me as the Mayor of the City of Crest Hill do hereby proclaim **JOHN S. VERSHAY** as **DEAN OF ALDERMEN** for his 45 years of service to the Citizens of the City of Crest Hill.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Crest Hill, as follows:


SECTION 1: The Mayor and City Council offer their congratulations and profound expression of thanks to the family of John S. Vershay for his 45 years of dedicated service to the City of Crest Hill.


SECTION 2: The Mayor and City Council extend their deepest condolences to the family of John S. Vershay on his passing on April 28, 2024.

SECTION 3: The Crest Hill City Clerk is directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the family of John S. Vershay and to make the original of this Resolution available to members of the general public during normal business hours at the Crest Hill City Clerk's Office.

RESOLVED THIS 17th DAY OF JUNE 2024.




Raymond R. Soliman, Mayor


Christine Vershay-Hall, City Clerk