

**THE CITY OF THE VILLAGE OF DOUGLAS
COUNTY OF ALLEGAN
STATE OF MICHIGAN**

**CITY COUNCIL PROCLAMATION
“A PROCLAMATION FOR LOGO AND DEDICATING OF CITY FLAG”**

It is with great honor to announce the unveiling of our City’s flag and logo to the Douglas community. This occasion marks a milestone in our journey as a City and is a symbol of progress.

WHEREAS, the City of Douglas has taken effort to update the City’s branding and logo, with elements that represent the community, the abundant natural areas, and exceptional quality of life; and,

WHEREAS, the redesigned logo is timeless and classic, but also clean, fresh, and simple, with the inclusion of a heron, water, and sun to commemorate the natural areas; and,

WHEREAS, the identity of a city is symbolized by its unique flag and logo, our city has long been known for its pristine natural beauty, majestic landscapes, and vibrant ecosystems; and,

WHEREAS, the heron, a symbol of grace, strength, and tranquility, has long been regarded as a distinguished resident of our beloved City’s waterways, capturing the essence of our harmonious coexistence with nature, and the sun serves as a vibrant luminary that represents the ever-bright future of our city.

NOW LET IT BE KNOWN, that on this momentous occasion, we gather here today to dedicate the City flag and logo of the City of the Village of Douglas.

I, Jerome Donovan, Mayor of the City of the Village of Douglas, hereby declare the official dedication of our city flag and city logo. This flag shall serve as a proud emblem of progress, inclusivity, and strength. May these beacons of identity unite our citizens, inspire our actions, and create a legacy for future generations.

IN WITNESS THEREOF I, Jerome Donovan, Mayor of the City of the Village of Douglas have set my hand and caused the official seal of the City of the Village of Douglas to be affixed this fifth day of July, two thousand and twenty-three.

Jerome Donovan, Mayor

Cathy North, Mayor Pro Tem
Neal Seabert, Councilmember
Randy Walker, Councilmember
John O’Malley, Councilmember
Gregory Freeman, Councilmember
Robert Naumann, Councilmember