

# PROCLAMATION

## CONGRATULATING DR. VON MANSFIELD ON HIS RETIREMENT

WHEREAS, Dr. Von Mansfield has served the Homewood-Flossmoor Community High School District 233 for twenty-one years, first as the HF High School Principal from July 2001 to June 2008, and subsequently as the superintendent from July 1, 2008 until present; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Mansfield has been recognized as the 2022 Superintendent of Distinction by the Illinois Association of School Administrators and is a two-time, 'Those Who Excel Award' recipient of the Illinois State Board of Education; and,

WHEREAS, during his tenure, Dr. Mansfield has served in numerous leadership roles including the College Board of Trustees, the College Board Executive Committee, President of the Headmasters Association, President of the Southwest Suburban Conference of School Districts, and the Big Ten Advisory Commission, among other roles; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Mansfield's passion for helping HF's 3,000 students and 300 faculty members achieve success has only been enriched by his extensive experience as a high school science teacher, coach, guidance counselor, dean of students, assistant principal, principal, and superintendent; and,

WHEREAS, under Dr. Mansfield's leadership, HF High School has been recognized as a Blue-Ribbon school three times, received exemplary rankings for the best AP Psychology program in the country, and has maintained a balanced budget for the past fifteen years; and,

WHEREAS, today we celebrate the retirement of Dr. Mansfield following twenty-one years of dedicated community service.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Richard A. Hofeld, Village President, do hereby proclaim that

*DR. VON MANSFIELD*

Be honored and commended for his commitment to education in the Village of Homewood. The Village President and Board of Trustees hereby extend our deepest gratitude and appreciation for Dr. Mansfield's outstanding years of service.

Dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2022.

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Village President  
Village of Homewood, Cook County, Illinois