PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, when a call for animal control services is requested, the prompt response of the animal control officer is very important for the protection of human life and the welfare of helpless animals and pets that are rescued from injury, disease, harm and inhumane treatment; and,

WHEREAS, our Animal Control Officer provides a number of services to this community including, responding to domestic animal calls and complaints, checking the welfare of pets, inspecting pet stores and other animal facilities, catching and returning loose pets, ensuring pets are properly vaccinated and licensed, investigating complaints and animal bites, responding to calls on wildlife and moving wildlife to other locations for their safety; and,

WHEREAS, our Animal Control Officer is a hard-working member of the Madison Heights Police Department and is dedicated to the service of animal control needs in this community; and,

WHEREAS, this week of appreciation recognizes and honors ACO Paige Wallace and part-time assistants Jillian Whalin and Angela Benner.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of Madison Heights declares the week of:

April 14-20, 2024 NATIONAL ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER APPRECIATION

in Madison Heights, in honor of the men and women whose diligence, caring and protections of animals help keep our City, citizens and animals safe.

Mayor

Mark Bliss Mayor Pro Tem

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