Proclamation

WHEREAS the VILLAGE OF POPLAR GROVE has purchased the following real property 211, 215 and 217 Saratoga Lane and the land across from 200 North Hill Street and determined that said real property is a parcel that would be useful, advantageous, necessary, or desirable for the municipal purpose and public welfare of citizens as a public park,

WHEREAS, individuals and organized forms of recreation and the creative use of free time have gained growing importance in the lives of all Americans as they find more time for personal pursuits; and

WHEREAS, recreation and parks in its most far-reaching benefits, can help combat problems of juvenile delinquency, drug abuse, disabling old age, and general depression by highlighting new avenues of interest to every individual in the community; and

WHEREAS, our village offers a various array of park facilities and leisure activities for the benefit of all our citizens; and

WHEREAS, these park and leisure activities contribute immeasurably to the physical, mental, and economic health of our residents;

NOW THEREFORE the VILLAGE OF POPLAR GROVE urge our citizens to recognize all the benefits derived from quality public and private recreation and park resources in our community.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE VILLAGE OF POPLAR GROVE TRUSTEES, as follows:

The land commonly referred to as 211, 215, and 215 Saratoga Lane

Is hereby dedicated to the purpose of public park, and such park shall be known as and referred to as MANSFIELD PARK.

The land commonly referred to as the land across from 200 North Hill street

Is hereby dedicated to the purpose of public park, and such park shall be known as and referred to as POPLAR GROVE DOG PARK.

Dated this 11th the day of January 2021.

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Owen Costanza	Karri Anderberg
Village President	Village Clerk