

# VILLAGE OF ROSCOE

## AGENDA ITEM - STAFF REPORT



**Agenda Item:** Purple Up Day for military children proclamation

**Date:** April 16, 2024

**Meeting:** Village Board

**Prepared by:** Vic Wilder

**Department:** Special Events

### Overview/Background Information

Purple Up Day was started by the American Legion Auxiliary to show their appreciation and to celebrate the children of our military families. The color purple is a combination of all colors of the Armed Forces. This day, April 15<sup>th</sup> is to recognize the difficulties children of our military have while growing up. Many times, these children will live with only parent while the other is deployed. Some of these children will move as many as 9 times from kindergarten through high school graduation.

### Key Issues

This proclamation gives support to the American Legion and all those currently serving in the military that have families.

### Fiscal Note/Budget Impact

There is no fiscal impact to the Village of Roscoe not to the annual budget.

### Prior Legislative Actions

This is the first time we have been asked to participate in this proclamation.

### Action Required/Recommendation

Approve the Proclamation "Purple Up Day", April 15, 2024.

### Attachments

Proclamation along with information regarding our local American Legion Post No. 332.