

**A RESOLUTION HONORING M. DOUGLAS ANDERSON
FOR TWENTY – ONE YEARS OF FAITHFUL SERVICE
AS CITY ALDERMAN, WARD TWO**

WHEREAS, M. Douglas Anderson, of Galva, Illinois, was born on 27 May, 1958, in Galesburg, Illinois, to Douglas and Marsha Anderson; he is married to Dawn (Johnson); he has one brother, Chris; he has two children, daughter Lily and son Clayton; he graduated from Galva High School in 1976, attended Black Hawk East College, Western Illinois University and Illinois State University where he received his baccalaureate degree in Political Science in 1980; and

WHEREAS, Alderman Anderson worked for the Galva Creamery from 1974 until 1981; he ran his own construction business from 1980 until 1987; he was Superintendent of the Galva Park District from 1982 until 2001; he worked for the Dixline Corporation from 1982 until 2000; he was employed by Scrip, Inc. from 2000 until 2012; and he has been employed by AC McCartney from 2012 until the present time; and

WHEREAS, Alderman Anderson served his community as a volunteer in the Galva Fire Department for ten years; served as a board member on the Henry County Economic Development Partnership for three years; found the time to serve the youth of the community as a Cub Scout and Assistant Boy Scout Leader; and then determined he had a bit more to give by allocating generous portions of his time to coach baseball, basketball, soccer and flag football for Galva youngsters in their formative years; and

WHEREAS, Alderman Anderson is a member of the Messiah Lutheran Church of Galva; and

WHEREAS, Alderman Anderson was duly elected to the Galva City Council by the members of his Ward in 1993; and

WHEREAS, Alderman Anderson, after twenty-one years of unwavering and faithful service to the City of Galva and the citizens of his Ward did resign his position as Alderman, Ward Two, on 20 January, 2014; and

WHEREAS, The Mayor and City Council of the City of Galva, Henry County, Illinois, wishes to recognize the Alderman's dependable and devoted service to his beloved community;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GALVA, ILLINOIS:

RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Galva, that Alderman M. Douglas Anderson is hereby and forever recognized for his enduring service as representative of the citizens of Ward Two in and for the City of Galva; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Mayor and City Council take great pleasure in recognizing Alderman Anderson's constant and enduring commitment to the advancement of the City of Galva in his position as Alderman, Ward Two, of the City of Galva, Henry County, Illinois; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be recorded in the permanent minutes of the City Council; and that a certified copy be sent to Alderman Anderson to share with his family and friends.