Village of Forest View

PROCLAMATION No. 25-01

A PROCLAMATION REDEDICATING AND HONORING ALL FOREST VIEW RESIDENTS WHO HAVE SERVED IN THE UNITED STATES MILITARY

WHEREAS, the Village of Forest View was envisioned to be a haven for U.S Service men from the 'Great War' (WWI) that ended in 1918, and

WHEREAS, its corporate charter in 1924 noted that the first officers and trustees were all recent war Veterans, and

WHEREAS, the intent and desire of our Founding Fathers was that the Village of Forest View remain dedicated to the cause of Ex Servicemen, and

WHEREAS, that the citizens of the Village of Forest View recognize and honor the courage, sacrifice, and unwavering dedication of all U.S. service veterans, both past and present; and

WHEREAS, we stand in profound gratitude for the brave men and women who have selflessly served our country, defending the values of freedom, justice, and equality that we hold dear; and

WHEREAS, the heroes who are currently serving in the Armed Forces, those who have previously served, and those who will serve in the future embody the highest ideals of duty, honor, and commitment to the preservation of peace and security both at home and abroad; and

WHEREAS, the strength of our nation is built upon the sacrifices made by these individuals, whose devotion to duty ensures the safety and prosperity of generations to come; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper that the Village of Forest View publicly expresses its deep appreciation for their sacrifices, and acknowledges the ongoing contributions made by all veterans in shaping the ideals of our community and our nation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the President and Village of Forest View Board will hereby forever maintain its recognition and appreciation of all those who have served and will serve in the United States military and dedicates this day, and every day, to honoring all U.S. service veterans—those who have served, those who are serving, and those who will serve in the future. We stand united in recognizing their valor, their commitment, and their unwavering loyalty to the ideals of liberty and justice for all.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Village of Forest View pledges to support and assist all veterans, offering our gratitude, respect, and resources to ensure their well-being and success as they transition back to civilian life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the representatives of the Village of Forest View, do hereby proclaim our steadfast commitment to honoring the service of all U.S. veterans, and we encourage all citizens to join us in expressing their respect and appreciation for those who have served, are serving, and will serve in the future.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this <u>25th</u> day of <u>February</u>, <u>2025</u> by the following vote:

AYES: Trustees Ramirez, Liska, Grossi, S	Sudkamp, Hubacek, Nevarez
NAYS: None	
	Nancy L. Miller
	Village President
ATTEST:	
Laura D. McGuffey	
Village Clerk	