

**GLENCOE PARK DISTRICT**

**BILL ELDRIDGE RETIREMENT COMMEMORATIVE RESOLUTION No. 942**

**WHEREAS**, Bill Eldridge was employed by the Glencoe Park District on the staff of the Parks and Facilities Team beginning on April 19, 1988 and retired on July 29, 2022;

**WHEREAS**, in realization of his consistent commitment of time, energy, and expertise to the betterment of services and facilities of the District, and

**WHEREAS**, Bill has been a vital part of the Parks and Facilities Team in which he has, over the years, provided selfless leadership, exceptional patience, mentorship, unparalleled commitment, exceedingly hard work; and

**WHEREAS**, his service, passion, and skill, starting as facility maintenance staff and working up to Facility Maintenance Supervisor, has been an asset to the Glencoe Park District; and

**WHEREAS**, Bill served the Park District during a period of significant challenges and rapid change including leading his team from the front lines in providing essential services during the COVID-19 pandemic; and

**WHEREAS**, Bill has served the Glencoe Park District in a loyal and faithful manner for 34 years during which the residents of Glencoe have benefited from his dedication and professionalism, his knowledge and expertise in the development and regular maintenance of amenities and improvements in various facilities, the development and expansion of Watts Center and Takiff Center into community hubs for residents to enjoy, the natural beauty of Glencoe's lakeshore, the Adda and Paul Safran Beach House, Perlman Boating Beach, and other contributions too numerous to note.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, the Glencoe Park District Board of Commissioners, representing all the residents of the Park District, recognize the meritorious service of Bill Eldridge and record it in the permanent records of the Glencoe Park District for all to see. This resolution shall be in full force and in effect immediately upon its passage.

**ADOPTED** this 13<sup>th</sup> day of September 2022 pursuant to a roll call vote as follows:

AYES: Boron, Covey, Spain, Brooks

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Schneider

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Lisa M. Brooks, President  
Board of Park Commissioners

ATTEST:

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Lisa M. Sheppard, Secretary  
Board of Park Commissioners

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STATE OF ILLINOIS     )  
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COUNTY OF COOK     )

**SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE**

I, Lisa M. Sheppard, do hereby certify that I am Secretary of the Board of Park Commissioners of the Glencoe Park District, Cook County, Illinois, and as such official, I am keeper of the records, ordinances, files and seal of said Park District; and,

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** that the foregoing instrument is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 942:

**BILL ELDRIDGE RETIREMENT COMMEMORATIVE RESOLUTION No. 942** adopted at a duly called Regular Meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners of the Glencoe Park District, held at Glencoe, Illinois, in said District at 7:00 p.m. on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of September 2022.

**I DO FURTHER CERTIFY** that the deliberations of the Board on the adoption of said resolution were conducted openly, that the vote on the adoption of said resolution was taken openly, that said meeting was called and held at a specified time and place convenient to the public, that notice of said meeting was duly given to all of the news media requesting such notice, that said meeting was called and held in strict compliance with the provisions of the Open Meetings Act of the State of Illinois, as amended, and with the provisions of the Park District Code of the State of Illinois, as amended, and that the Board has complied with all of the provisions of said Act and said Code and with all of the procedural rules of the Board.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I hereunto affix my official signature and the seal of the Glencoe Park District at Glencoe, Illinois this 13<sup>th</sup> day of September 2022.

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Lisa M. Sheppard, Secretary  
Board of Park Commissioners

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