## RESOLUTION 2019-17

Introduced by Hardin Motioned by Hardin Seconded by Larker 1st Reading
 Third Reading

## INTRODUCED BY MAYOR AND COUNCIL

## A RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY OF ROBERT WILLIAM DAVIS



WHEREAS, Oakwood resident, Robert William Davis, passed away January 20, 2019 at the age of 90; and

WHEREAS, he was born to the late John and Lovie Davis, one of 14 children, in Cleveland, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, after completing 11<sup>th</sup> grade at Central High School, on November 7, 1945 he enlisted in the U.S. Army during the Ward War II

conflict serving two years and was honorably discharged; and

WHEREAS, upon returning home, he met the love of his life, Clara Bow Douglas, and the two were married on December 10, 1949, spending the next 60 years building an amazing life together. Their love story was full of adventures, laughs, love and great memories having three children along the way; Spring, Robin and Perry (deceased); and

WHEREAS, Robert provided for his family as a cab driver and was recognized as a Master Driver on September 16, 1957 in "The Cab Stand" newsletter. He continued to improve himself and trained as a Boiler Engineer. Later, he went back to school and acquired his GED on February 2, 1983, setting an example of excellence in education for his children; and

WHEREAS, after retirement, he attended Cuyahoga Community College, where he became certified in the care of the mentally and physically disabled, following his heart's desire to serve and care for others; and

WHEREAS, he was a dedicated member of the Lee Heights Community Church and served on the Board of Trustees and was a fixture on the Usher Board; and

WHEREAS, Robert never met a stranger and was known for his infectious laugh, his joy for life and his love for his Lord;

WHEREAS, this man of God leaves the legacy of a life well-lived with amazing daughters; Spring Tubbs (Larry) and Robin Phillips (Carrell), his grandchildren; Cashimiere Tubbs, Jaline Wilkes, Jasmine Parham, Lauren Phillips and Austin Phillips, his great-grandchildren; Logan Parham and Cassidy Wilkes, along with a host of relatives, friends, neighbors and church family; and

**NOW THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED THAT** by the Village of Oakwood, County of Cuyahoga, and State of Ohio, that:

**SECTION 1.** The Village Council and Mayor wish to express their most sincere condolences to the family of Robert William Davis and hope the fond memories of such a fine, caring person comforts them in their loss.

**SECTION 2.** The Clerk is hereby authorized to present a copy of this resolution to the family of Robert William Davis.

**SECTION 3.** This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption by this Council and approved by the Mayor, otherwise from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: Jelius 12. 2019  Debra L. Hladky, Clerk & Council	Johnnie A. Warren, President of Council
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	Mayor - Gary V Cottsehalk

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## POSTING CERTIFICATE

I, Debra L. Hladky, Clerk of Council of the Village of Oakwood, County of Cuyahoga and State of Ohio, do hereby certify that Resolution 2019-17 was duly posted on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_ and will remain posted for a period of fifteen (15) days thereafter in the Council Chambers and in not less than (5) of the most public places in the municipality as determined by the Council of the said Village.

DATED: Johnsy 13 2019

Please see the Clerk of Council for a copy of this ordinance in its entirety.

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