## **RESOLUTION 2022-5**

#### INTRODUCED BY MAYOR AND COUNCIL AS A WHOLE

## A RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE TO THE FAMILY OF SHEILA ANN MOORE THOMPSON

**WHEREAS** Shelia Ann Moore Thompson peacefully left her Earthly home on December 17, 2021; and

WHEREAS Sheila, born November 29, 1949, in Louisville, Kentucky, was the beloved daughter of Cornelia Hannah; and

WHEREAS She received two master's degrees from John Carroll University in Cleveland. Sheila served as a special education teacher, teaching supervisor and school psychologist for Cleveland Metropolitan School District for over 25 years; and

WHEREAS upon her retirement, Sheila and her mother affectionately known as "Cooka", started the E.S. Ralston Learning Center in memory of her grandmother. The center provided exceptional year-round early-childhood education in addition to after school and summer care. They also opened the E. S. Ralston Ice Cream Shop service the community premium ice cream and snacks during the summer. Sheila believed everyone should be treated with dignity and respect along with providing the best available resources and services to all; and,

WHEREAS Sheila was a humble and anointed servant of the Lord, whose mission was to spread the love of Jesus Christ. She was a faithful member of Antioch Christian Fellowship in East Cleveland and provide a storefront space for the church's outreach center. She later attended church near her home until her death; and

WHEREAS She was an entrepreneur whose kind, compassionate and loving spirit was always demonstrated through her numerous projects helping others the Lord place in her path to make their lives better; and

WHEREAS Sheila Ann Moore Thompson leaves behind a lasting impact on a host of family and friends across this country who loved her dearly and will always remember the positive influence she had on their lives; and

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

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**SECTION 2.** The Clerk is hereby authorized to present a copy of this resolution to the family of Sheila Ann Moore Thompson.

**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.

ASSED:

Christine Morgan, Clerk of Council

Johnnie A. Warren, Council President

Presented to the

Mayor:

Approved: 3/3/2023

Mayor Gary V Gottschalk

I, Christine Morgan, Clerk of Council of the Village of Oakwood, County of Cuyahoga and State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 2022-5 was duly and regularly passed by this Council at the meeting held on the day of held on the day of

Christine Morgan, Clerk of Council

### POSTING CERTIFICATE

I, Christine Morgan, Clerk of Council of the Village of Oakwood, County of Cuyahoga, and State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 2021-5 was duly posted on the day of Village Charter.

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DATED: 211 OOG

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