

AGENDA REPORT

TO: Mayor & City Commission
FROM: Ken Hibl, City Manager
DATE: October 28, 2009
RE: Recognition – Firefighter Jay Kleinhardt (35-Year Service Award)

For the Agenda of November 02, 2009

Background. Mr. Jay Kleinhardt has faithfully, honorably, and courageously served the residents of the City of Clare and the Greater Clare Area Community for the past thirty-five years as a member of the Clare Fire Department. The City Commission is asked to consider formally recognizing Jay for this distinguished achievement.

Issues & Questions Specified. Should the City Commission formally recognize the service of Firefighter Jay Kleinhardt?

Alternatives.

1. Formally recognize this selfless service.
2. Do not formally recognize this selfless service.
3. Defer/delay decision of this matter to a subsequently scheduled City Commission meeting.

Financial Impact. The cost to the City is approximately \$158 (the cost of a memento, a framed resolution, and a certificate).

Recommendation. I recommend that the City Commission formally recognize the faithful, dedicated, and honorable service of Firefighter Jay Kleinhardt by adoption of Resolution 2009-112(copy att'd).

Attachments.

1. Certificate.
2. Resolution 2009-112.

Certificate of Achievement

City of Clare

This certificate is presented to

Jay Kleinhardt

*In recognition of his 35 years of faithful, dedicated service
to the City of Clare Fire Department.*


Mayor Pat Humphrey

November 2, 2009

RESOLUTION 2009-112

A RESOLUTION OF THE CLARE CITY COMMISSION RECOGNIZING FIREFIGHTER JAY KLEINHARDT FOR THIRTY-FIVE YEARS OF FAITHFUL AND COURAGEOUS SERVICE TO THE CITY OF CLARE AND THE GREATER CLARE AREA COMMUNITY.

WHEREAS, Firefighter Jay Kleinhardt has faithfully, honorably, and courageously served the residents of the City of Clare and the Greater Clare Area Community as a member of the Clare Fire Department for the past thirty-five years; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission deems that it is appropriate and fitting to formally recognize said faithful, honorable, and courageous public service.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, on behalf of the residents of the City of Clare and the citizens of the entire Greater Clare Area Community, the Mayor of the City of Clare and the Clare City Commission hereby formally recognizes the faithful, dedicated service of Firefighter Jay Kleinhardt while serving as a member of the Clare Fire Department City of Clare Department of Public Works, during the period October 2, 1974 to October 1, 2009.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the City Commission recognizes and honors Firefighter Jay Kleinhardt for his phenomenal service, for his superb dedication, for his dauntless courage, and for his unswerving and peerless loyalty to the Clare Fire Department and the local residents he has served.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Mayor and City Commission offers Firefighter Kleinhardt its sincere wishes for good health, long life, and for continued success in all endeavors and concurrently challenges him to continue to serve the public with the same reputation for his unswerving standards for excellence that he has so ably established.

ALL RESOLUTIONS AND PARTS OF RESOLUTIONS INSOFAR AS THEY CONFLICT WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS RESOLUTION BE AND THE SAME ARE HEREBY RESCINDED.

The Resolution was introduced by Commissioner _____ supported by Commissioner _____. The Resolution declared adopted by the following roll call vote:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

Resolution approved for adoption on this 2nd day of November 2009.

Diane Schmidt, City Clerk