

**THORNTON TOWNSHIP
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

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WHEREAS, the Thornton Township Board (the "Township Board") would like input from township voters on a question of public policy; and

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WHEREAS, Frank Zuccarelli's love for his community was evident in his service to Thornton Township and its residents, including but not limited to, his work to create programs providing jobs, health services, and food assistance to the community; and

WHEREAS, in honor of Frank Zuccarelli's tireless service to Thornton Township, the Township Board wishes to poll the voters, via an advisory referendum, whether October 29, Frank Zuccarelli's birthday, should be declared a township holiday; and

WHEREAS, Illinois law provides in the Illinois Township Code, 60 ILCS 1/80-80, that a township board may by majority vote authorize that an advisory question of public policy be placed on the ballot at the next regularly scheduled election in the Township.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Board of Thornton Township, Cook County, Illinois, as follows:

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Dated this 1st day of July, 2022

/s/ Karen Yarbrough, Cook County Clerk, Illinois"

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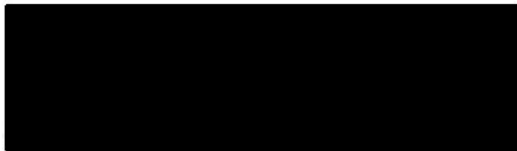
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Given under my hand and official seal at Thornton Township, Cook County, Illinois, this 6th day of July, 2022.



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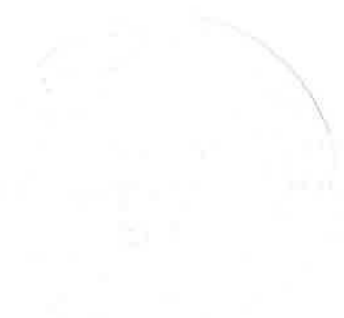
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