

RESOLUTION NO. 92 (22-23)

A Resolution to authorize and direct the Director of Public, Safety and Service to designate the pollinator garden/zone located at 510 Fort Street, in the City of Marietta, Ohio, as the Hoffert & Henderhan Memorial Garden located at 510 Fort Street, and declaring an EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, there exists a beautiful pollinator garden/zone created with old-fashioned plants growing in the space between the brick mowing edge and the top of the slope at 510 Fort Street, in the City of Marietta, Ohio. Some of the plants were saved from the cottage garden planted many years ago by Fort Street resident, Dean Hoffert, while other plants were donated by persons living on Fort Street, or in the Harmar Village neighborhood; and

WHEREAS, Cody Henderhan, a pollinator-habitat enthusiast, who died suddenly on March 21, 2023, volunteered countless hours at the Fort Street pollinator-habitat, providing knowledge and labor in planting and weeding the area; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marietta, Ohio, would like to designate the pollinator garden/zone as the Hoffert & Henderhan Memorial Garden, in honor of Dean Hoffert's many years of work on the site; and in memory of devoted pollinator-habitat volunteer, Cody Henderhan; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARIETTA, OHIO:


Section 1: That the Council of the City of Marietta, Ohio hereby authorizes and directs the Director of Public, Safety and Service to designate the pollinator garden/zone created with old-fashioned plants growing in the space between the brick mowing edge and the top of the slope at 510 Fort Street, in the City of Marietta, Ohio as the Hoffert & Henderhan Memorial Garden.

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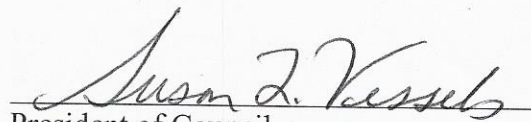
Section 2: That this Resolution shall be and is hereby declared to be an EMERGENCY measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety of the City of Marietta, Ohio, and for the further reason that the garden needs to be named immediately because an artistic seating bench will be installed in the Spring of 2023, and a plaque with the name of the pollinator garden needs to be installed, either on the bench, or somewhere within the garden, honoring Dean Hoffert and Cody Henderhan.

WHEREFORE, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and immediately after its passage and approval by the Mayor.


Introduced by the Public Lands & Buildings Committee, William Farnsworth, Chairman.

  
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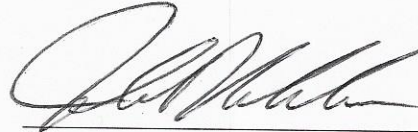
Passed this 6<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2023.

  
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President of Council

ATTEST:

  
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Clerk of Council

Approved this 6<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2023.



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Mayor

First Reading April 6, 2023

Second Reading Suspended

Third Reading Suspended