

*The City of Richmond Heights*

# Resolution

**RESOLUTION NO: 134 -2021**

*INTRODUCED BY: Mayor David H. Roche, Council President Eloise Cotton-Henry and  
Councilmembers Mark Alexander, Juanita Lewis, Frank Lentine, Cassandra Nelson,  
Kim Thomas and Daniel Ursu*

***A Resolution Recognizing the Retirement of Detective Steve Molle after 26 years  
of service with the Richmond Heights Division of Police***

**WHEREAS**, after serving with the Richmond Heights Division of Police for over a quarter of a century, Detective Steve Molle will retire on December 17, 2021;

**WHEREAS**, Steve was hired on July 10, 1995 as a police officer in Richmond Heights after service to his country in the U.S. Marine Corps;

**WHEREAS**, during his City tenure, Steve served on the regional SPAN SWAT team for 22 years earning a certificate for Gold SWAT operator recognizing his participation in over 100 operations, and also received a certificate for Master SWAT operator for his long-term service;

**WHEREAS**, Steve currently serves as a Detective and has also served as a range officer; and

**WHEREAS**, Steve received numerous commendations and appreciation letters during his service, including a commendation for his outstanding detective work in solving the Maiya Latimer murder. Steve's work helped bring about the arrest and conviction of the perpetrator.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, It is Resolved by the Council of the City of Richmond Heights, Ohio that:

**Section 1:** This Council and Mayor David H. Roche, on behalf of the City of Richmond Heights, its employees and citizens, express their most sincere appreciation, gratitude, praise, and congratulations to Steve Molle on his retirement with over 26 years of public service to the Richmond Heights Division of Police and our community.

**Section 2:** This Resolution shall take effect at the earliest time permitted by law.

PASSED: December 14, 2021

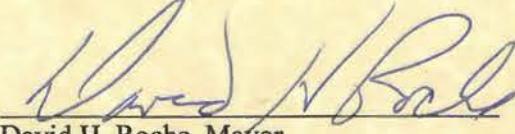
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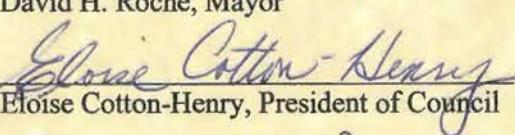
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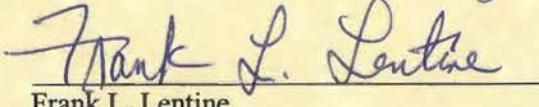
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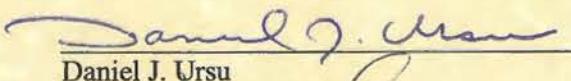
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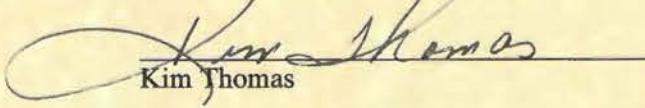
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