

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Chippewa County Board of Commissioners, held at the Chippewa County Courthouse, 319 Court St., Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan on the 8th day of June, 2015 at 2:00 p.m.

PRESENT: Scott Shackleton, Don McLean, James Martin and Rudy Johnson

ABSENT: Conor Egan

The following preamble and resolution was offered by Commissioner McLean and seconded by Commissioner Johnson.

RESOLUTION NO. 15-12

OLDER AMERICANS PROCLAMATION 2015

WHEREAS, Chippewa County includes a thriving community of older Americans who deserve recognition for their contributions and sacrifices to ensure a better life for future generations; Chippewa County has 8266 citizens ages 60 and older, which is approximately 21% of the County population; and;

WHEREAS, Chippewa is committed to helping all individuals live longer, healthier lives in the communities of their choice for as long as possible; and,

WHEREAS, since 1965, the Older Americans Act has provide services that help older adults remain healthy and independent by complementing existing medical and health care systems, helping prevent hospital readmissions, and supporting some of life's most basic functions; and

WHEREAS, the Chippewa County Board of Commissioners recognize the value of community engagement and service in helping older adults remain healthy and active while giving back to other; and

WHEREAS, Chippewa County Board of Commissioners seeks to continue to provide opportunities to enrich the lives of individuals of all ages by:

- Promoting and engaging in activity, wellness, and social inclusion
- Emphasizing home- and community-based services that support independent living
- Ensuring community members of all ages benefit from the contributions and experiences of older adults.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Chippewa County Board of Commissioners do hereby and recognize May as the Older Americans Month. The Board urge every resident to take time to celebrate older adults and the people who serve and support them as powerful and vital individuals who greatly contribute to the community

A VOTE WAS TAKEN AS FOLLOWS

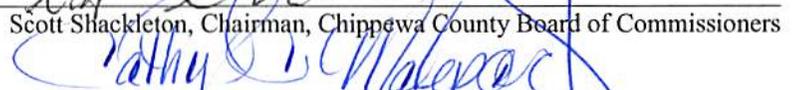
AYES: Scott Shackleton, Don McLean, James Martin and Rudy Johnson

NAYS: None

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.



Scott Shackleton, Chairman, Chippewa County Board of Commissioners



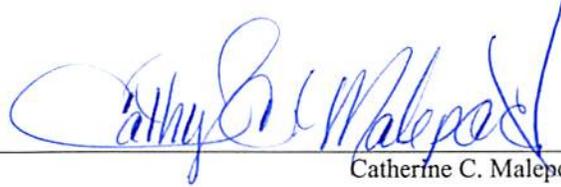
Catherine C. Maleport, County Clerk

STATE OF MICHIGAN)

) ss.

COUNTY OF CHIPPEWA)

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of the resolution adopted by the County Board of Commissioners of Chippewa County at a regular meeting held on the date first stated above, and I further certify that public notice of such meeting was given as provided by law.



Catherine C. Maleport, County Clerk