

RESOLUTION NO. 19-2015

Expressing the Congratulations of Worthington City Council to Elizabeth Chiu for being named a National Merit Scholarship Finalist and for her Academic and Extracurricular Achievements.

WHEREAS, Elizabeth Chiu was named a National Merit Scholarship Finalist in the academic scholarship competition; and,

WHEREAS, the National Merit Scholarship Program is an academic competition for recognition and scholarships that began in 1955; and,

WHEREAS, more than 1.4 million high school juniors entered the 2015 National Merit Scholarship competition by taking the Preliminary S.A.T. qualifying test; and,

WHEREAS, 16,000 students were named semi-finalists and continued in the competition for 7,600 National Merit Scholarships worth about \$33-million dollars; and,

WHEREAS, the Worthington community is proud to recognize eight Worthington Schools seniors who have now been named as Finalists and Semi-Finalists in this prestigious competition; and,

WHEREAS, Elizabeth Chiu is to be commended for her activities and accomplishments which include membership on the Science Olympiad and In the Know teams, and in the Chemistry and French Clubs; for participation in various music programs including the OMEA Regional and All-State Orchestras and the Chamber Music Connection; for her service through music to raise funds for the Children's Hunger Alliance and Nationwide Children's Hospital; and as an outstanding student at Thomas Worthington High School,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Municipality of Worthington, County of Franklin, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That on behalf of the community, City Council wishes to extend sincere congratulations and recognition to Elizabeth Chiu for her achievements as a National Merit Scholar Finalist and in school, leadership, and service to her community.

SECTION 2. That City Council wishes to extend best wishes to Elizabeth Chiu in her future pursuits.

SECTION 3. That the Clerk of Council be instructed to forward a duly certified copy of this Resolution to Elizabeth Chiu and to record said Resolution in the appropriate record book.

Adopted May 18, 2015

/s/ Bonnie D. Michael
President of Council

Attest:

/s/ D. Kay Thress
Clerk of Council