

RESOLUTION NO. 56-2012

Expressing the Appreciation and Best Wishes of the Worthington City Council to Michael E. Minister for his Outstanding Service as Director of Law for the City of Worthington and for his Service to the Community.

WHEREAS, Mike Minister is retiring on December 31, 2012 after more than 45 years of service to the City of Worthington and its citizens; and,

WHEREAS, Mike began his career with the City of Worthington in 1963 as a Police Radio Dispatcher. He also served as a member of the Sharon Township Fire Department and worked as an administrative intern during the 60's; and,

WHEREAS, after serving his country in the United States Navy, Mike returned to the City of Worthington in the 70's and continued his service as Assistant to the City Manager, Director of Administration and Taxation and Acting City Manager for a period of several months in 1974; and,

WHEREAS, Mike attended Capital University Law School at night, earning his law degree in 1974 and then took a job with the law firm that later became Baker & Hostetler; and,

WHEREAS, in 1975 Mike was named Law Director for the City of Worthington through his work at the law firm. Upon his retirement from Baker & Hostetler in 2007, Mike came to work as Law Director full time for the City of Worthington; and,

WHEREAS, Mike has also been very dedicated to community service, serving on a number of boards including OhioHealth, Riverside Hospital, COSI, Columbus Development and Tourist boards and was chair of the Worthington Bicentennial Fundraising Committee and Founders Day Celebration; and,

WHEREAS, Mike has demonstrated exemplary devotion and dedication to the City over the past 45 plus years of meritorious service. His career has been marked by knowledge, enthusiasm, good humor, consideration and integrity.

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

SECTION 1. That on behalf of the residents of the Worthington community, the City Council hereby expresses to Michael E. Minister sincere appreciation for his outstanding contributions and years of dedicated service and extends him best wishes in future pursuits.

SECTION 2. That the Clerk of Council be instructed to forward a duly certified copy of this Resolution to Michael E. Minister and to record said Resolution in the appropriate record book.

Adopted December 17, 2012

[Signature on File]  
President of Council

Attest:

[Signature on File]  
Clerk of Council