

**Visitors' Business:**  
**Proclamation:**  
Honoring Girl Scouts Of America Week 2016

## VILLAGE OF LONG GROVE

### PROCLAMATION HONORING GIRL SCOUT WEEK 2016

**WHEREAS**, Girl Scouts is a global movement that thinks big and acts locally. Programs and experiences are designed to help every girl discover her sparkle. In addition to singing, dancing, hiking, and canoeing, our local Girl Scouts use problem-solving skills to make an impact in our community and around the world; and

**WHEREAS**, the mission of Girl Scouts is to change lives by building girls of courage, confidence, and character, who make the world a better place; and

**WHEREAS**, more than 55,440 girls and 21,381 adults are involved locally; and

**WHEREAS**, Girl Scouts of Greater Chicago and Northwest Indiana join Girl Scouts all around the nation to make the world a better place and celebrate Girl Scout Week, March 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>, 2016. This week honors Girls Scouts 104<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Girl Scouting in the United States; and

**WHEREAS**, Girl Scout Sunday, March 6<sup>th</sup> and Girl Scout Sabbath, March 12<sup>th</sup> gives girls the opportunity to attend their place of worship and be recognized as a Girl Scout; and

**WHEREAS**, March 12<sup>th</sup> also begins the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Gold Award, the highest award a Girl Scout can earn. During the next 100 days girls will be doing service in their communities such as the Birthday in a Bag project for our local food pantries;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that I, Angela Underwood, past Girl Scout and Girl Scout Leader and now Village President of Long Grove do hereby recognize National Girl Scout Week, March 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>, 2016, and declare the same as official Girl Scout Week in Long Grove.

**FURTHER**, I urge all citizens of Long Grove to join me in recognizing the achievements and leadership of our local Girl Scouts and volunteers; thank them for their valuable community service and encourage the future success of this organization.

**ADOPTED**, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2016.

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Angela Underwood  
Village President

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Heidi Locker-Scheer  
Village Clerk