HANOVER TOWNSHIP

RESOLUTION

January is National Blood Donor Month in Hanover Township

Celebrating the year-round selfless contributions by blood donors and volunteers

WHEREAS, the Hanover Township Board of Trustees, does hereby find as follows:

WHEREAS, January is National Blood Donor Month, declared by President Richard Nixon in 1970, to pay tribute to voluntary blood donors and increase donation by others; and

WHEREAS, Just one donation can save up to three lives; and

WHEREAS, more than 38,000 blood donations are needed every day; and

WHEREAS, is essential for surgeries, cancer treatment, chronic illnesses, and traumatic injuries; and

WHEREAS, the Hanover Township Office of Community Health hosts blood drives throughout the year and partners with local agencies in promoting the need to donate; and

WHEREAS, Hanover Township, Office of Community Health, works with Versiti Blood center of Illinois and Life Source to collect donations among residents; and

WHEREAS, Blood Donor Month is an opportunity to raise awareness since blood donations typically drop off during and immediately after the winter holidays, which makes National Blood Donor Month in January a critical time; the entire community can affect positive change with any volunteer action no matter how big or small.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Hanover Township Board of Trustees, Cook County, Illinois, that the month of January is National Blood Donor Month in Hanover Township.

Dated: January 21, 2020

In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto to set our hands and caused the seal of Hanover Township to be affixed hereto.

Trustee Alisa "Lee" Beattie

Supervisor Brian P. McGuire

Trustee Craig Essick

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