

AGENDA REPORT

TO: Mayor & City Commission
FROM: Jeremy Howard, City Manager
DATE: August 31, 2023
RE: Employee Recognition – Police Officer Tom Brandon (10-Year Service Award)

For the Agenda of September 5, 2023

Background. Police Officer Tom Brandon has faithfully, honorably, and courageously served the residents of the City of Clare and the Greater Clare Area Community for the past ten years as an officer of the Clare Police Department. The City Commission is asked to consider formally recognizing Tom Brandon for this distinguished achievement.

Issues & Questions Specified. Should the City Commission formally recognize the service of Officer Tom Brandon?

Alternatives.

1. Formally recognize this selfless service.
2. Do not formally recognize this selfless service.
3. Defer/delay the decision of this matter to a subsequently scheduled City Commission meeting.

Financial Impact. The cost to the City is approximately \$50 (a \$25 stipend and a framed resolution).

Recommendation. I recommend that the City Commission formally recognize the faithful, dedicated, and honorable service of Officer Tom Brandon by adoption of Resolution 2023-068 (*copy att'd*).

Attachments.

1. Resolution 2023-068.

RESOLUTION 2023-068

A RESOLUTION OF THE CLARE CITY COMMISSION RECOGNIZING POLICE OFFICER TOM BRANDON FOR TEN YEARS OF FAITHFUL AND COURAGEOUS SERVICE TO THE CITY OF CLARE AND THE GREATER CLARE AREA COMMUNITY.

WHEREAS, Police Officer Tom Brandon has faithfully, honorably, and courageously served the residents of the City of Clare and the Greater Clare Area Community as a member of the Clare Police Department for the past ten years; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission deems that it is appropriate and fitting to formally recognize said faithful, honorable, and courageous public service.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, on behalf of the residents of the City of Clare and the citizens of the entire Greater Clare Area Community, the Mayor of the City of Clare and the Clare City Commission hereby formally recognize the faithful, dedicated service of Police Officer Tom Brandon while serving as a member of the City of Clare Police Department since September 2, 2013.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the City Commission recognizes and honors Officer Tom Brandon for his excellent service, his outstanding dedication, his dauntless courage, and the impeccable loyalty he has demonstrated in serving the Clare Police Department and the residents of the Clare Area Community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Mayor and City Commission offer Officer Brandon their sincere wishes for good health, long life, and continued success in all endeavors and concurrently challenges him to continue to serve the public with the same reputation for his unswerving standards for excellence that he has so ably established.

ALL RESOLUTIONS AND PARTS OF RESOLUTIONS INsofar AS THEY CONFLICT WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS RESOLUTION BE AND THE SAME ARE HEREBY RESCINDED.

This Resolution was introduced by Commissioner _____ and supported by Commissioner _____. The Resolution declared adopted by the following roll call vote:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

Resolution approved for adoption on this 5th day of September, 2023.

Sarah Schumacher, Deputy City Clerk