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**RESOLUTION NO. 2019-08**

**A Resolution Honoring Firefighter Ashley Richardson**

WHEREAS, Firefighter Ashley Richardson became a volunteer firefighter with the Dane Fire Department in 2001, and after more than seventeen years of dedicated and exemplary service announced his retirement in May of 2019; and

WHEREAS, during his more than seventeen years of service Firefighter Richardson attained numerous certifications, including Driver/Operator, becoming Wildland certified; and

WHEREAS, during his more than seventeen years of service Firefighter Richardson responded to 419 calls, selflessly departing the comforts of home at all hours of the day and night, sacrificing time with family; and

WHEREAS, Firefighter Richardson risked life and limb to protect people, property, keep our community safe; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to honor and recognize Firefighter Richardson for his more than seventeen years of devoted service to the Dane Fire Department and community.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Village Board of the Village of Dane, on behalf of all residents, express their sincere appreciation, praise, and congratulations to Firefighter Ashley Richardson upon his retirement after more than seventeen years of dedicated and exemplary service to the Dane Fire Department and a grateful village.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be memorialized in the minutes of the Village Board and copies be sent to Firefighter Richardson to share with his family, and to Fire Chief Breunig to share with the Dane Fire Department.

Adopted this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December 2019

  
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Roger E. Schmidt, Village President

Introduced/Approved:  
December 2, 2019

Yes: 5 No: 0

Attest:   
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Teresa Hughey Groves, Clerk Treasurer