RESOLUTION NO. 2018-02

A Resolution Honoring Sergeant Richard Leach

WHEREAS, Richard Leach has completed thirty-one years of service with the Cedarburg Police Department; beginning his employment as a Patrol Officer on January 1, 1987; and

WHEREAS, during his thirty-one years of service, Rick Leach has conscientiously and capably served the Cedarburg Police Department, the City of Cedarburg, and its citizenry; and has demonstrated the highest principles of community service while exhibiting high moral and ethical standards; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Leach demonstrated sound judgment and decision-making in matters involving the Cedarburg Police Department; and his integrity, courtesy, and professionalism earned him the respect of the community, his co-workers, and peers; and

WHEREAS, during his service as a member of the Cedarburg Police Department, Sergeant Leach was promoted to Sergeant in August 2000, serving in that position for seventeen years; served as a Firearms Instructor for the Cedarburg Police Department for 14 years; served on the Ozaukee County Drug Task Force for 23 years; was awarded a Lifetime Achievement in the Field of Narcotics and Extraordinary Service in 2010 by the Wisconsin Narcotic Officers' Association; attended and completed the Northwestern Academy Traffic Institute School of Police Staff and Command: was instrumental in the organization and implementation of the Cedarburg Police Department Citizens' Academy and successfully ran multiple academies; was instrumental in the implementation of the Police Canine program; supervised major special event security for 19 years; and

WHEREAS, the Cedarburg Police Department and the City of Cedarburg have benefited significantly from the dedicated law enforcement skills and services of Sergeant Leach;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Common Council of the City of Cedarburg, members of the Cedarburg Police and Fire Commission, the men and women of the Cedarburg Police Department, and the citizens of the City of Cedarburg join in expressing their sincere appreciation to Richard J. Leach for his many years of law enforcement service, and extend to him best wishes for a happy and healthy retirement.

Passed and adopted this 8th day of January, 2018.

Kip D. Kinzel, Mayor

Attest:

Constance K. McHugh, City Clerk