CITY OF CEDARBURG

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-23

A Resolution Commending Carlson Tool & Manufacturing For 60 Years of Service in the Community

WHEREAS, Carlson Tool & Manufacturing, having been founded in 1958 by Carl Edquist, has grown from a simple tool and die company to the largest tooling and manufacturing facility of its kind in North America; and

WHEREAS, Carl Edquist's vision of a responsive, dynamic company laid the foundation for expansion into new markets; and

WHEREAS, Carlson Tool & Manufacturing began operations in a small rented space in the center of Cedarburg until building at the current site and conducting business in their 104,000 square foot, ISO-certified facilities; and

WHEREAS, the Company's second generation management team led by Jerry Edquist has focused on their customers and the market they service in several international locations; and

WHEREAS, this commitment to customers has extended to a commitment to community by supporting many local initiatives, including the Ozaukee Ice Center, the Cedarburg Cultural Center, Summer Sounds concert series, The Greater Cedarburg Foundation, The Cedarburg Art Museum, the Cedarburg History Museum; and

WHEREAS, over the years, Carlson Tool & Manufacturing has had the honor of providing for over 1,300 families in Southeastern Wisconsin and is the largest private employer in Cedarburg, Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cedarburg hereby recognizes their important presence in our community for providing a rich history and commemorates and honors the sixty years of growth and commitment celebrated by Carlson Tool & Manufacturing;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, I, Michael O'Keefe, Mayor of the City of Cedarburg, join the citizens of the City of Cedarburg in recognizing Carlson Tool & Manufacturing as a significant and valuable member of this community and congratulate them on their 60th Anniversary.

Dated this 27th day of August 2018.

Michael O'Keefe, Mayor

Attest:

Constance K. McHugh, City Clerk