

**RESOLUTION #19-04
RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION
FOR DEDICATED SERVICE**

BARBARA WHEELER

McHenry County Conservation District
Officers and Board of Trustees
Unanimously Adopted on
February 21, 2019

WHEREAS, McHenry County Conservation District owns and manages over 25,500 acres of open space and 34 conservation areas; 115 miles of hiking trails; 45 miles of regional multi-use trails that provide access to more than 115 miles of an integrated trail network; acts to restore its lands to their ecological health; offers educational programs which encourage appreciation of the natural environment and a fundamental understanding of the environmental ethic; and develops its lands for the safe quiet enjoyment and interests of McHenry County residents; and

WHEREAS, the District is supported in its efforts by many dedicated staff, volunteers, appointed and elected local, county, state and federal officials; including members of the Illinois General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Barbara Wheeler fought for good, honest government while serving as State Representative representing the 64th District from January 2013 until January 2019; and

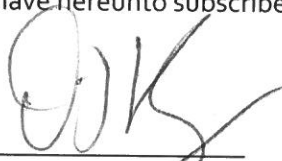
WHEREAS, Barbara Wheeler has facilitated bipartisan cooperation on many issues which impact all citizens of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, while working as a state legislator in the Illinois House of Representatives, Barbara Wheeler served on many House committees including; Health Care Licenses (Republican Spokesperson); Higher Education; Judiciary-Criminal; Labor & Commerce; Tourism, Hospitality & Craft Industry (Republican Spokesperson); Police & First Responders; Restorative Justice; Workforce Reconciliation Subcommittee; Negotiations Subcommittee; Firearms and Firearm Safety Subcommittee; and

WHEREAS, through the statesmanship and leadership of Barbara Wheeler, all the residents of McHenry County, including the flora, fauna and human, have benefited from her continued support beyond the role of state legislator as a friend of conservation.

THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED: That the Officers and Board of Trustees of the McHenry County Conservation District hereby express and convey their deep and sincere gratitude and heartfelt appreciation to Barbara Wheeler and that this Resolution be incorporated into the official records of the District, and that Barbara Wheeler receive recognition through this resolution.

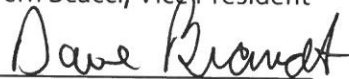
IN WITNESS WHERE OF, we have hereunto subscribed our names and affixed the seal of the District, this 21st day of February, 2019.



David Kranz, President

Pete Merkel, Treasurer

Vern Scacci, Vice President



David Brandt, Secretary

John Henning, Trustee

Carolyn Campbell, Trustee

Benjamin Washow, Trustee