

## **Proclamation**

Graduate Recognition Day May 19, 2020

Whereas, the outbreak of novel coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2) has forced leaders to suspend in-school learning for the 2019-2020 academic year, as well as postpone commencement ceremonies and end of year celebrations; and

**Whereas**, the Township community is encouraged to come together and recognize students for their academic achievements and graduation to the next grade or institute of higher learning or professional career; and

**Whereas**, during this unprecedented time it is important to call everyone's attention to value of the education system and the importance of all students to further themselves academically; and

Whereas, students and educators should be applauded for their commitment to learning, and adapting to the challenges of remote learning; and

**Whereas**, graduating students have also served our communities and their schools as volunteers and leaders in the classroom, athletics, student organizations, civic service and the arts, and in the Township's Department of Youth & Family Services Youth Leadership Group in U-46 schools; and

**Whereas**, all employers, local and national, as well as family and friends, are encouraged to support opportunities for recent graduates pursuing careers in the trades, education, business, health care, and military and public service.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I,** Brian P. McGuire, Supervisor of Hanover Township, Cook County, do hereby recognize and proclaim May 19, 2020 Graduate Recognition Day in Hanover Township.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my signature this nineteenth day of May 2020.



Brian P. McGuire, Supervisor

Brin P. M'Dwie