

**RESOLUTION NO. R2018-02**  
**AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE APPRECIATION  
OF THE GALLIPOLIS CITY COMMISSION TO  
W. MATTHEW JOHNSON**

**FOR OUTSTANDING SERVICES RENDERED AS MEMBER OF THE  
CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF GALLIPOLIS, OHIO,  
AND EXTENDING THE BEST WISHES OF THE COMMUNITY TO HIM**

**WHEREAS, W. Matthew Johnson**, was elected to two terms on the Gallipolis City Commission from January 1, 2010 until December 31, 2017; and

**WHEREAS**, during the years of service of **W. Matthew Johnson**, many major improvements became a reality and the groundwork was laid for several projects; and

**WHEREAS, W. Matthew Johnson**, served on various City and community boards during his tenure; and

**WHEREAS, Matt Johnson** is well known throughout the community as an outstanding citizen and is to be commended for the many long hours of service he donated to the City of Gallipolis, particularly as an active member of the Gallipolis In Lights Committee and the Downtown Revitalization Project, formerly known as the Digital River Project; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Manager has recommended in writing the passage of this Resolution as an emergency measure as it is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and property and in order to provide for the usual operations of the municipal departments.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Commission of the City of Gallipolis, State of Ohio:

**SECTION 1:** That the Commission of the City of Gallipolis, Ohio, does hereby acknowledge the knowledge and experience, conscientious efforts and unswerving dedication rendered to this community by **W. Matthew Johnson**, and extends its best wishes on behalf of the entire City to him for success and happiness in the future.

**SECTION 2:** That the Clerk of the City Commission is hereby authorized and directed forthwith upon the adoption of this Resolution to present a copy thereof to **W. Matthew Johnson**.

**SECTION 3:** This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon passage as an emergency measure.

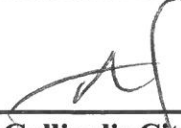
**PASSED:** January 23, 2018

**ATTEST:**

  
Clerk of the City Commission

  
President of the City Commission

The foregoing Resolution is hereby approved as to form.

  
Gallipolis City Solicitor  
Adam R. Salisbury