

**RESOLUTION NO. R2019-12**  
**AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE APPRECIATION**  
**OF THE GALLIPOLIS CITY COMMISSION TO**  
**STEVEN E. WALLIS**

**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, Steven E. Wallis**, was appointed to serve the unexpired term for Jon Lynch from January 7, 2010 to December 31, 2012 and subsequently elected to two additional terms on the Gallipolis City Commission from January 1, 2012 until December 31, 2019; and

**WHEREAS**, during the years of service of **Steven E. Wallis**, many major improvements and projects became a reality; and

**WHEREAS, Steven E. Wallis** served two terms as Commission Vice-President (1/2/12 – 12/31/13 and 1/2/18 – 12/31/19) and one term as Commission President (1/2/14 – 12/31/15), as well as on various City and community boards during his tenure; and

**WHEREAS, Steven E. Wallis** is well known throughout the community as an outstanding citizen and is to be commended for the many years of service that he donated to the Gallipolis Police and Fire Departments prior to his service on the City Commission; 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 **Steven E. Wallis**, 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 **Steven E. Wallis**.

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

**PASSED:** December 19, 2019

**ATTEST:**

*Renee M. Lander*  
Clerk of the City Commission

*Michael P. Puk*  
President of the City Commission

The foregoing Resolution is hereby approved as to form.

*By [Signature]*  
Gallipolis City Solicitor