



## VILLAGE OF LAWTON

RESOLUTION 09-2025

### A RESOLUTION HONORING NORM AND KAREN CARLSON AND DECLARING OCTOBER 12TH AS “NORM AND KAREN CARLSON DAY” IN THE VILLAGE OF LAWTON

WHEREAS, Norm and Karen Carlson have long been dedicated residents and community supporters of the Village of Lawton and surrounding area, exemplifying the values of generosity, compassion, and civic pride; and

WHEREAS, the Carlsons have been strong advocates and consistent supporters of Bronson Children’s Hospital, dedicating their time, energy, and resources to improving the health and well-being of children and families throughout Southwest Michigan; and

WHEREAS, through their commitment to charitable giving and community service, Norm and Karen Carlson have positively impacted countless lives, inspiring others in the Lawton area and beyond to engage in acts of kindness and support for those in need; and

WHEREAS, their ongoing efforts and goodwill have brought recognition and honor to the Village of Lawton and surrounding area, reflecting the spirit of community that makes the Lawton community a wonderful place to live, work, and serve; and

WHEREAS, the Village Council wishes to recognize their extraordinary contributions and extend heartfelt gratitude on behalf of all residents of the Village of Lawton and surrounding area;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Village Council of the Village of Lawton, Michigan, hereby designates October 12th, 2025, as “Norm and Karen Carlson Day” within the Village of Lawton; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council encourages residents, businesses, and organizations to join in celebrating the generosity and service of Norm and Karen Carlson and to continue their legacy of community support and compassion.

Adopted this 7<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2025, by the Village Council of the Village of Lawton.

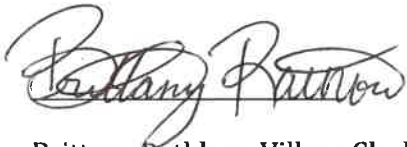
AYES: Appleby, G. Dudek, Tanis, Turner, Peterson, Raber

NAYS: None

ABSENT: E. Dudek

#### **CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Village Council of the Village of Lawton, Michigan, at a regular meeting held on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2025.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brittany Rathbun", written over a horizontal line.

Brittany Rathbun, Village Clerk

Village of Lawton, Michigan