PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, philanthropic organizations are responsible for enhancing the quality of life for people; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of the role played by the uniquely American tradition of philanthropy, the United States Congress has designated November 15th as National Philanthropy Day; and

WHEREAS, voluntary associations formed to address societal needs are an integral part of American society; and

WHEREAS, the history of American philanthropy is filled with the names of the founding fathers and mothers whose efforts spawned hospitals, free public libraries, homes for widows and orphans and volunteer fire departments, to name a few; and

WHEREAS, Americans annually contribute billions of dollars to many worthwhile charities; and

WHEREAS, today the non-profit sector affects nearly every citizen in many ways through educational and religious organizations, museums and universities, shelters for the homeless and clubs that enrich their youth, and social service agencies that provide food, clothing, housing, training and help for the indigent.

NOW THEREFORE, I, ROY D. BUOL, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF DUBUQUE, IOWA, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY COUNCIL, STAFF AND CITIZENS OF DUBUQUE, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM NOVEMBER 15, 2020 AS:

“PHILANTHROPY DAY”

IN THE CITY OF DUBUQUE AND URGE ALL PEOPLE TO RECOGNIZE THE TRADITION OF AMERICAN PHILANTHROPY AS IT CONTINUES TO IMPROVE AND ENHANCE THE LIVES OF ALL BY PROMOTING THE COMMON GOOD.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Dubuque to be affixed this 2nd day of November 2020.

Roy D. Buol, Mayor

Attest:

Adrienne N. Breitfelder, City Clerk
2020: Submitted and accepted by Christel Tatro, Foundation & Communication Assistant, Stonehill Communities- Benevolent Foundation, ctatro@stonehilldbq.com, p. 563.690.9683, www.stonehilldbq.com

2019: Submitted and accepted by Deanne Althoff, Acting Chairperson, Mission Advancement & Community Relations Director. Hills & Dales, 1011 Davis Street, Dubuque, IA 52001. 563-556-7878.

2018: Submitted and accepted by Shirley Brown, Associate Director of Development of the Sisters of Charity, BVM, 1100 Carmel Drive, 563-585-2854.

2017 Submitted by Mr. Kelly Myers, Regional Fundraising Adviser, AMPERAGE Marketing & Fundraising, AmperageFundraising.com, IAMperageMarketing.com, 3280 St. Anne Dr. Dubuque, IA 52001, 319.553.732, cell: 563.590-7511. Accepted by Shirley Brown from the Association of Fundraising Professionals Tri-State Chapter.

2016 Submitted and accepted by Mr. Kelly Myers, Regional Fundraising Adviser, AMPERAGE Marketing & Fundraising, AmperageFundraising.com, IAMperageMarketing.com, 3280 St. Anne Dr. Dubuque, IA 52001, 319.553.7321

2015: N/A

2014: Submitted and accepted by Alissa Riegler, Associate Director of Annual Funds & Special Events, (563)588-6559, alissa.riegler@clarke.edu, Clarke College, 1550 Clarke Drive, Dubuque, IA 52001.

2013: Submitted and accepted by Kara Leglar-Murphy, Development Director, Finley Health Foundation, 350 N. Grandview, Dubuque, 589-2485, kara.muphy@unitypoint.org , and Association of Fund Raising Professionals representative.

2012: Submitted and accepted by Dan McCarthy, Finley Health Foundation, 350 N. Grandview, Dubuque, 589-2358, dan.mccarthy@finleyhospital.org

2011: Submitted and accepted by Dan McCarthy, Finley Health Foundation, 350 N. Grandview, Dubuque, 589-2358, dan.mccarthy@finleyhospital.org

2010: Submitted and accepted by Dan McCarthy, Finley Health Foundation, 350 N. Grandview, Dubuque, 589-2358, dan.mccarthy@finleyhospital.org

2009: Dan McCarthy, Finley Health Foundation, 589-2358, dan.mccarthy@finleyhospital.org, Accepted by: Dan, Finley Health Foundation, 350 N. Grandview, Dubuque

11/3/08 Dan McCarthy, Finley Health Foundation, 589-2358, dan.mccarthy@finleyhospital.org, will have representatives present to accept. Wendy Scardino of 1998 North Star Drive

9/5/07 Diane Brondyke dbrondyke@bvmcong.org submitted request. Will have 2-3 representatives there to accept.

10/26/05 Ken Werth from Hillcrest called @ this. I emailed him last year’s and he’ll get back to me tomorrow with how many they need and the changes in the Proclamation.
10/20/04 Karen Knepper said that Chris Chapin-Tilton of Finley will pickup the proclamation at the 11/1/04 meeting.