## A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE ILLINOIS ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY ACT AND TO SET FORTH VILLAGE REQUIREMENTS ALLOWING LOCAL GROUPS TO ADOPT VILLAGE HIGHWAYS

WHEREAS, the Village of Barrington Hills ("Village") is a home-rule municipality pursuant to Article VII, Section 6, of the Constitution of the State of Illinois, and as such is authorized to take all reasonable action pertaining to its affairs in accordance therewith; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of Illinois has enacted the Illinois Adopt-A-Highway Act, as set forth in the 605 ILCS 120/1 *et seq*. (Act); and

**WHEREAS**, the Act allows private citizens to support local governments' anti-litter efforts by allowing groups to adopt sections of highway for the purpose of litter collection; and

**WHEREAS**, in support of such activities, the Village has determined to adopt the Act, and authorize the terms and conditions on which local citizens and groups can assist the Village in its little collection activities through adoption of Village Highways; and

**WHEREAS**, the Agreement for such purpose is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit 1; and

WHEREAS, certain costs may be associated with commencement of the Adopt-A-Highway Program, and staff is hereby directed to analyze said costs and to include this program in budget analysis currently underway.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Barrington Hills, located in the Counties of Cook, Kane, Lake and McHenry, Illinois, as follows:

**SECTION ONE:** The recitals set forth above are incorporated herein and made a part hereof.

**SECTION TWO:** The Village President and Board of Trustees hereby agree to adoption of the Illinois Adopt-A-Highway Act, and the program specifications as set forth in Exhibit 1.

**SECTION THREE:** The Village Staff is hereby directed to analyze the cost of such program to the Village and to include such costs in financial preparations for the 2016 fiscal year so that the Program can be fully implemented to the benefit of the Village and its residents.

**SECTION FOUR:** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval as provided by law.

Ayes: 6 Nays: o Absent: 1

**PASSED AND APPROVED** by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Barrington Hills, Illinois, this 19<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2015.

APPROVED:

Village President

ATTEST:

Village Clerk

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