Chester Township Board of Trustees Proclamation
Honoring the Life and Legacy of Robert D. LaMoreaux

WHEREAS, Robert LaMoreaux, a lifelong resident of Chester Township, Ohio, passed away on July 25, 2026, at the age of 90, leaving behind a remarkable legacy of public service, leadership, and unwavering dedication to his community; and

WHEREAS, Bob was born on April 14, 1936, in Cleveland, Ohio, and graduated in 1954 as a proud member of the first graduating class of West Geauga High School; and

WHEREAS, Bob devoted his professional career to public service, beginning as the Chester Township Road Supervisor, later serving as Geauga County Road Superintendent, and ultimately as an Inspector with the Geauga County Engineer's Office until his retirement, where his knowledge, integrity, and commitment benefited the citizens of Geauga County for many years; and

WHEREAS, Bob faithfully served the Boy Scouts of America for more than six decades as a Scout leader and in numerous leadership roles, positively influencing generations of young people by instilling the values of service, responsibility, and citizenship; and

WHEREAS, Bob dedicated more than fifty years of extraordinary service to the Chester Township Volunteer Fire Department, beginning as a volunteer firefighter in 1954 and continuing until his retirement in 2005, selflessly giving countless hours to protect the lives and property of the residents of Chester Township; and

WHEREAS, throughout his distinguished fire service career, Bob served with honor as Training Officer, Lieutenant, Captain, and Assistant Fire Chief, providing steadfast leadership, mentoring countless firefighters, and helping shape the department through his professionalism, knowledge, and unwavering commitment to excellence; and

WHEREAS, Bob's life exemplified the highest ideals of public service, volunteerism, leadership, and community spirit, and his legacy will continue to inspire future generations of public servants, first responders, and community leaders;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Chester Township Board of Trustees hereby honors and celebrates the life, service, and enduring legacy of **Robert D. LaMoreaux**, a true public servant whose contributions strengthened our community, improved the safety and well-being of our residents, and whose example of selfless service will forever remain a part of the history and heritage of Chester Township.

Proclaimed this 3rd Day of August, 2026

Craig S. Richter, Chairman

Patricia Jarrett, Fiscal Officer

Ken Radtke Jr., Vice-Chairman

Brandon Davis, Trustee