

COMMENDATION

RECOGNIZING SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE YOUTH CAMPS

WHEREAS, the Spotsylvania Sheriff's Office has been conducting youth camps for over ten years with programs growing significantly over the past two years; and

WHEREAS, in the summer of 2019, the Sheriff's Office held fifteen, four-day camps with over 1,850 county youth participants, giving them the chance to positively interact with law enforcement officers and professionals to help build confidence, strength, and core values; and

WHEREAS, camps include activities such as baseball, basketball, football, soccer, wrestling, field hockey, lacrosse, volleyball, softball, cheerleading, art, science, technology, engineering, and math, as well as the Virginia Rules Camp, which teaches young people about state laws and Cops and Bobbers, which allows young anglers to learn important sporting values on the water; and

WHEREAS, the men and the women of the Spotsylvania Sheriff's Office are committed to providing positive mentorships and memorable interactions with youth that also bestow education and valuable learning experiences; and

WHEREAS, the youth camps are made possible through grants, donations of private citizens and local businesses, along with collaborative partnerships with the County's School Division and the Department of Parks and Recreation; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Spotsylvania County Board of Supervisors, this 13th day of August 2019, publicly recognizes the Sheriff's Office on behalf of its members and the residents of Spotsylvania, appreciation for its service to the County's youth and expresses its pride and admiration for its excellence and achievement.

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