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Graduate Recognition Month June 2020

WHEREAS, the 2019-2020 academic year and commencement ceremonies have been suspended due to the global coronavirus pandemic; and,

WHEREAS, families, friends, neighbors and educators should encourage everyone to focus on the abilities of all young people, and honor their hard work; and,

WHEREAS, graduating students have contributed greatly to our community; and,

WHEREAS, the most efficient way to bring awareness to the value of education and to honor graduating students is through everyone's active participation in community activities and to the openness to learn and acknowledge each individual's abilities, talents, and contributions and the importance of education; and,

WHEREAS, during this generational challenge, our students represent a bright future and will continue along the path of service and leadership in our community and nation; and,

WHEREAS, we encourage all residents to celebrate all Westmont graduates from junior high, high school, and college in our community recognizing their achievements and supporting these special students in the next phase of life; and,

NOW THEREFORE, the Village of Westmont hereby recognizes the high achievement of graduating students of the Class of 2020 and on behalf of the Village of Westmont offer our heartfelt congratulations; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, I Ronald J. Gunter, by virtue of the authority vested in me, as Mayor of the Village of Westmont, do hereby proclaim the month of June 2020 as Graduate Recognition Month, Class of 2020.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Village of Westmont, DuPage County, Illinois, this 18th day of June, 2020.

Ayes: _____ Nays: _____ Absent: _____

Ronald J. Gunter
Mayor

Attest: _____
Virginia Szymski
Village Clerk