Resolution Extending the Commission's Felicitations to O. L. Teagarden Upon the Fiftieth Anniversary of His Arrival in Oak Harbor, Ohio

WHEREAS the Ohio Turnpike Commission has been apprised that one of its members, O. L. Teagarden, came to reside in Oak Harbor, Ohio, fifty years prior to the first day of February, 1976;

WHEREAS since 1926 Mr. Teagarden has achieved great personal success, and has contributed extraordinarily to the nation, the state, and his community;

WHEREAS the community of Oak Harbor has just cause to be proud of Mr. Teagarden's wide range of achievements as reflected in this partial enumeration: Mayor of Oak Harbor for an entire decade; owner and president of the J. Weller Canning Company, one of the foremost business organizations of its type in the country; founder and president of the National Bank of Oak Harbor; president and director of the National Canners' Association; president of the Ohio Canners' Association; delegate to Democratic National Conventions; member of the Electoral College; and organizer and leader in diverse fraternal and civic activities and organizations including the Boy Scouts of America, Toledo Area Council, which has awarded to him the Silver Beaver, the highest award for volunteer service to a local council; and

WHEREAS Mr. Teagarden has been a member and Vice Chairman of the Ohio Turnpike Commission since its inception in 1949, and the other members of the Ohio Turnpike Commission desire to take note of and commemorate his half century of contribution and service to his local community of Oak Harbor, and to the State of Ohio and the nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED that the Chio Turnpike Commission hereby extends to O. L. Teagarden its felicitations and commendations upon his fiftieth anniversary as a resident of Oak Harbor and upon his many important and diverse achievements and service to his community during said period; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that the assistant secretary-treasurer be, and hereby he is, directed to send a certified copy of this resolution to Mr. Teagarden and to the Mayor of Oak Harbor, Ohio.

(Resolution No. 4 -1976 adopted February 3, 1976)

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