

RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, Norris and Norris Hardware has been a general store that has operated continuously within the corporate limits of Leonardtown since established by the late James J. Norris in 1907, and,

WHEREAS, Norris and Norris Hardware has been a permanent fixture of the Leonardtown business community for the many years mentioned, providing reputable, honest and fair service to all, and,

WHEREAS, the time piece in the showplace window of Norris and Norris Hardware has been the Town's official time keeper for these so many years, and,

WHEREAS, J. Richard Norris, the proprietor of Norris and Norris Hardware, has for 44 years taken responsibility for the daily raising and lowering of Old Glory in the Town Square, and,

WHEREAS, J. Richard Norris has retired and with this retirement has been the end of operation of Norris and Norris Hardware.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Commissioners of Leonardtown, this 11th day of November, 1974, that with the closing of Norris and Norris Hardware an era in the proud history of the Town ends. The Town, in recognition of the Mr. Norris' many contributions to the business community and in recognition of his dedication to proper respect of our Country's flag, expresses a sense of loss at Mr. Norris' retirement. However, the Town Commissioners, on behalf of its citizens, say thank you to J. Richard Norris and wish him and his wife, Betty, many more years of happiness.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution be included among the minutes of the Commissioners of Leonardtown and a copy delivered to Mr. Norris.



THE COMMISSIONERS OF LEONARDTOWN

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