

**RESOLUTION 2024 – 7**

**COMMEMORATING DR. FRANK H. BATSCHE, JR. FOR HIS OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO THE CITY OF MASON, OHIO**

**WHEREAS**, Frank Henry Batsche, Jr., was a prominent leader in the Mason community for over 50 years; moving to Mason in 1935 and

**WHEREAS**, Frank met his wife, Libby at Miami University and the two were fortunate enough to share 58 years together along with five children, 17 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren; and

**WHEREAS**, Frank H. Batsche Jr. dedicated his life to dentistry, serving as a Dentist in the U.S. Army from 1957 to 1960 followed by owning his own practice in Mason alongside Dr. Erbeck for over 30 years where he cared for many generations of families; and

**WHEREAS**, in addition to Dentistry, Frank H. Batsche Jr, was a pillar of the Mason community, serving 15 years on the Mason School Board with a term as President as well as an active member and Board President of the Mason Historical Society; and

**WHEREAS**, Frank made it his life’s goal to be constantly learning and growing, using that knowledge to preserve the quality of education and life in Mason Schools and the community; and

**WHEREAS**, Frank Batsche was a generous and kind soul who lived a full and happy life. Frank contributed to the well-being of the Mason community and changed the lives of those around him, garnering the respect and admiration of everyone who had the pleasure to meet him; and

**WHEREAS**, Frank H. Batsche exhibited leadership, dedication, and generosity through his contributions that have had a profound impact on the success of the Mason community; and

**WHEREAS**, Frank H. Batsche will always be known as one of Mason’s most respected citizens and his legacy will live on through his family and all who knew him.

**WHEREAS**, Mason City Council is grateful for Frank’s leadership and wisdom throughout Mason’s history. His life’s work contributed towards Mason’s reputation as a premier community throughout the State of Ohio and the Nation.

**NOW, THEREFORE** be it resolved by the Council of the City of Mason, Ohio, six members elected thereto concurring:

Section 1. March 11, 2024, is hereby proclaimed as “Frank H. Batsche Jr. Day” in the City of Mason.

Section 2. That this Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed this 11th day of March, 2024.

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Mayor

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Clerk of Council