



COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2023-01

***WHEREAS,** Ralph L. Taylor Jr. was sworn into office as Councilman of the Second District on May 13, 2019, and served with distinction until his resignation on February 01, 2023; and*

***WHEREAS,** throughout his tenure of service to the citizens of Dover, Mr. Taylor served on the Economic Development Committee, the General Employee Pension Plan Board; the Police Pension Plan Board; the Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Board; the Downtown Dover Partnership Board of Directors; and served as Chairman of the Safety Advisory and Transportation Committee; and*

***WHEREAS,** Ralph L. Taylor Jr. demonstrated his love for the City of Dover through countless hours of service; he was a City of Dover Police Officer from 1990 through 2010; a D.A.R.E Instructor and P.A.L. Coordinator; and served as an invaluable resource to members of City Council by providing a different perspective to matters brought forth for consideration;*

***WHEREAS,** Ralph L. Taylor Jr. has always placed the concerns of his constituents in the forefront and will always be remembered for his spirit when conducting the affairs of the city.*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Mayor and Council recognize that Ralph L. Taylor Jr. will be sorely missed and express their sincere appreciation to him and his family for the dedicated years of service and personal sacrifices made on behalf of the City of Dover and wish them success in all future endeavors.*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Mayor and Council direct the City Clerk to make this resolution a part of the permanent records of the City of Dover as a lasting symbol of appreciation and gratitude to Ralph L. Taylor, Jr.*

ADOPTED: FEBRUARY 27, 2023

ROBIN R. CHRISTIANSEN
MAYOR

ROY SUDLER, JR.
COUNCIL PRESIDENT