



COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2018-01

WHEREAS, Carleton E. Carey, Sr. was appointed by Council President Robin R. Christiansen to the Utility Committee on November 25, 1991, and served until November 24, 1997; and

WHEREAS, Carleton E. Carey, Sr. was sworn into office as the At-Large Council Representative on November 24, 1997 and served with distinction in that capacity until October 8, 2007, when he was sworn into office as Mayor of the City of Dover, and served with distinction in that office until April 28, 2014. He served as Council President and Vice-Mayor; Chair of the Utility Committee and the Fourth of July Celebration Committee; as a member of the Legislative and Finance Committee; Parks and Recreation Committee; Safety Advisory Committee; Safety Advisory and Transportation Committee; 2030 Energy Committee; Ad-Hoc Committee to Meet with State Legislators, the Bond Bill Committee, and the Governor Regarding the Reallocation of State Bond Funds; Downtown Dover Development Corporation; Downtown Dover Partnership Steering Committee; Kent County Strategic Fund Development Advisory Committee; Kent Economic Partnership; and as a Liaison to Kent County on the City/County Committee and to the Chamber of Commerce and Greater Dover Committee; and represented the City of Dover on other boards and committees in his capacity as Mayor; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure, Carleton E. Carey, Sr. worked diligently to build partnerships with State and local government, as well as the business community, while promoting the City's economic interests and the general welfare of its citizens. He gave generously of his time, energy, and attention by serving as "the face of Dover" at countless civic and community events, exhibiting his love for the City and his pride in its progress, and he listened attentively to the concerns of his constituents and demonstrated his commitment to bringing about resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Council express their sincere appreciation to Carleton E. Carey, Sr. and his family for the dedicated years of service and personal sacrifices made on behalf of the City of Dover, and wish him and his family 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 Carleton E. Carey, Sr.

ADOPTED: FEBRUARY 12, 2018

ROBIN R. CHRISTIANSEN
MAYOR

TIMOTHY A. SLAVIN
COUNCIL PRESIDENT