

## **COUNCIL TRIBUTE NO. 2018-01**

### ***A TRIBUTE EXPRESSING SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCES UPON THE PASSING OF WALLACE R. DIXON***

***WHEREAS***, the Mayor and Council of the City of Dover have been greatly saddened by the death of Wallace R. Dixon, former Councilman and City Chaplain, who passed away on July 7, 2018; and

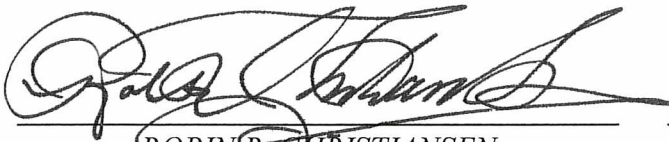
***WHEREAS***, Wallace R. Dixon was appointed to serve as City Chaplain on September 11, 2000 and as the Chaplain for the Dover Police Department on August 20, 2002, and he served continuously in both capacities until being sworn in as Councilman of the Fourth District on December 10, 2012. He served with distinction as Councilman until May 11, 2015 and, during his tenure, served as Chair of the Parks, Recreation and Community Enhancement Committee and as a member of the Safety Advisory and Transportation Committee, Downtown Dover Partnership Board of Directors, and Kent County Tourism Board of Directors. Following his two years of service to the citizens of Dover, Wallace R. Dixon was again appointed to serve as City Chaplain from May 26, 2015 until his death; and

***WHEREAS***, Wallace R. Dixon served with dignity and integrity, demonstrating empathy and compassion toward his colleagues, City staff, and constituents alike, and speaking up for those whose concerns might otherwise have gone unnoticed. His contributions to the community extended well beyond his service to the City of Dover and included his service on the Steering Committee for Restoring Central Dover, which continues to be an engine of economic and social revitalization for downtown Dover. Wallace R. Dixon will be deeply missed by the Bible Way Temple Church of God in Christ congregation, friends, family, and all of those whose lives he has touched.

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED*** that the Mayor and Council extend their deepest sympathy and condolences to the family and friends of Wallace R. Dixon and hope that they will be consoled by the memories of his exemplary life and commendable achievements.

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED*** that the Mayor and Council direct the City Clerk to place this Tribute in the permanent records of the City of Dover and that a copy of this Tribute be provided to the family of Wallace R. Dixon.

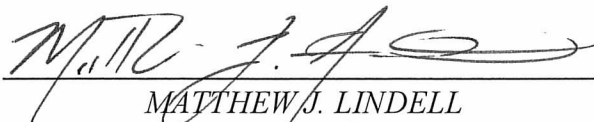
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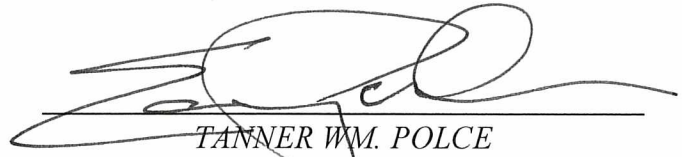
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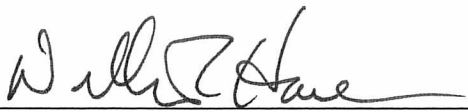
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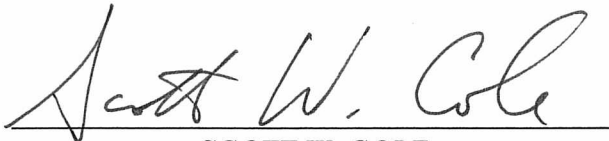
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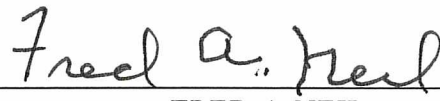
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