RESOLUTION NO. 128-2017 SPONSORED BY: MRS. COBURN

TITLE: COMMENDATION - SOKOL CLUB

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BARBERTON TO HONOR AND GIVE PUBLIC RECOGNITION TO THE SLOVAK CATHOLIC SOKOL 167 CLUB, AN ORGANIZATION IN THE CIVIC AND SOCIAL ASSOCIATION AS THEY CELEBRATE 100 YEARS OF OPERATION.

WHEREAS, the word Sokol means Falcon and is a Slovic gymnastic society aiming to promote a communal spirit and physical fitness, originating in Prague in 1862; and

WHEREAS, Barberton Sokol Assembly 167 was founded on September 9, 1917 by a group of eight young Slovaks; and

WHEREAS, The Sokol Club makes an effort to donate to sporting events or sports charities because its parent, the Slovak Catholic Sokol Assembly, promotes "healthy body, healthy mind."

WHEREAS, Membership has almost doubled in the past five years and there are a host of typical private-club events which supports area athletics though fundraisers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Barberton, State of Ohio:

- **SECTION 1.** That the Council of the City of Barberton hereby honors and gives public recognition to the Sokol Club as they celebrate 100 years of operation. Barberton is proud to have such a great civic association and we wish them continued success and hope they are in business another 100 years.
- **SECTION 2.** That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were meetings open to the public in compliance with the law.

SECTION 3. That this resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

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Clerk of Council	President of Council	
Approved	2017	
	 Mayor	