

**PRESENTED BY: MAURER, SOYARS, DEBEVEC
ENDRES, LYSENKO, WAGNER, MEGYES, AVANT, & FREY**

**RESOLUTION NO. 154-2012
SPONSORED BY: MR. WAGNER**

TITLE: COMMENDATION – TOM TONYA

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BARBERTON TO
HONOR AND GIVE PUBLIC RECOGNITION TO TOM TONYA FOR
GIVING THE CITY AND ITS CITIZENS OVER 34 YEARS OF DEDICATED
AND OUTSTANDING SERVICE.**

WHEREAS, Tom Tonya joined the City of Barberton on April 15, 1978; and

WHEREAS, Tom hired in as a Laborer in the Utilities Department and transferred to the Wastewater Treatment Plant as a Plant Operator in 1982; and

WHEREAS, Tom became our Master Operator in October 1996. As a Master Operator, he holds a Class III license from the State, an indication of his ability and dedication to the City; and

WHEREAS, Tom has been a vital part of the City workforce, providing technical expertise and leadership at the Wastewater Treatment Plant; and

WHEREAS, Tom will be retiring on September 30, 2012, giving the City over 34 years of service. Because of his dedication, knowledge, and skills, he will be difficult to replace.

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 Tom Tonya for giving the City and its citizens over 34 years of dedicated and outstanding service.

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.

Passed _____ 2012

Clerk of Council

President of Council

Approved _____ 2012

Mayor