

**RESOLUTION HONORING  
DEPUTY CHIEF ELAINE R. BRYANT**

**WHEREAS** Ms. Elaine Bryant was appointed to the Detroit Police Department on June 15, 2000, and upon graduating from the Detroit Metropolitan Police Academy she was assigned to the Housing Support Division; and

**WHEREAS** Police Officer Bryant displayed tremendous aptitude in her assignments, and was promoted to the rank of Sergeant on June 15, 2006. Her other assignments included Domestic Violence Unit, Tenth Precinct, Office of the Chief Investigator and Human Resources. She developed her supervisory skills and was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant on November 25, 2013 and assigned to the Detroit Police Training Unit and Chief's Neighborhood Liaison Unit; and

**WHEREAS** Lieutenant Bryant, still being recognized for her distinguished service, was promoted to the rank of Captain on August 11, 2016 and assigned to Tenth Precinct, and Homicide Section. Captain Bryant was promoted to the rank of Commander on September 5, 2017 as the commanding officer of the Major Crimes Unit. Her other assignments include the Professional Standards Bureau which is comprised of Force Investigations, Internal Affairs and the Integrity Unit. Commander Bryant was promoted to rank of Deputy Chief and assigned to Neighborhood Policing Bureau East, Third Precinct, Fifth Precinct, Seventh Precinct, Tenth Precinct, Gaming Operations, Metropolitan Division, and Downtown Services Division. Deputy Chief Bryant provided effective leadership mentoring to all patrol entities under her command, where she remained until her retirement; and

**WHEREAS** Deputy Chief Bryant is an active member of the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP), and the National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives (NOBLE). Deputy Chief Bryant is also a recipient of a Perfect Attendance Award, Ford Fireworks Award, and both Consent Judgment Awards, National Football League Superbowl XL Recognition Award, the Rosa Parks Funeral Award, Major League Baseball All-Star Recognition Award, and numerous letters and certificates of appreciation; and

**WHEREAS** Deputy Chief Bryant served the Detroit Police Department diligently for 20 years and daily demonstrated her loyalty and dedication to the citizens of Detroit. Her professionalism, expertise, and leadership attest to the fact that she represents the consummate professional.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**

That the Detroit Board of Police Commissioners, speaking on behalf of the citizens of the great city of Detroit recognize and honor the contributions and commitment to excellence in public service of Deputy Chief Elaine R. Bryant. Her display of courage and unwavering community spirit has improved the quality of life for the citizens of Detroit. We wish you all the best in your future endeavors.

We thank and congratulate you for a job well done, Deputy Chief Elaine R. Bryant.