

**RESOLUTION HONORING POLICE COMMISSIONER
Darryl D. Brown**

WHEREAS Darryl Brown has etched a lasting mark on the City of Detroit and its residents during decades of public service, including serving as a Detroit Firefighter and most recently as a Police Commissioner; and

WHEREAS Police Commissioner Brown was elected in 2017 by the residents of District 1 in northwest Detroit. As part of the City's official swearing in ceremony in January 2018, Commissioner Brown had the distinct honor of taking the oath of office from civil rights legend and U.S. District Court Judge Damon Keith; and

WHEREAS During his term, Commissioner Brown has been committed to serving the community and upholding civilian oversight of the Detroit Police Department. As a Police Commissioner, he engaged in many police-community activities and outreach programs. His fellow Board members elected him to serve a term in the leadership position of Vice Chair of the Board of Police Commissioners; and

WHEREAS As a resident of Rosedale Park since 1997, he has been an active member of the community as a block captain and member of the neighborhood radio patrol. His membership at Macedonia Baptist Church was instrumental in the Church's participation as host for one of the Board's community meetings. His deep dedication to public safety also is evident in his service as a Wayne County Sheriff CERT Reserve. While Police Commissioner Brown completes his four-year term at the end of 2021, his contributions to civilian oversight, the Board of Police Commissioners, the Detroit Police Department and the greater community will endure;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED

That the Detroit Board of Police Commissioners, speaking for the citizens of Detroit and the Detroit Police Department, awards this resolution in recognition of dedicated and diligent service by Police Commissioner Darryl Brown. His dedication and commitment to civilian oversight, the City of Detroit, and its citizens merit our highest regards.

We thank and congratulate you, Commissioner Darryl Brown.