

**RESOLUTION HONORING  
DETECTIVE LAURA M. MANZELLA**

**WHEREAS** Laura Manzella was appointed to the Detroit Police Department on May 24, 1999. Upon graduating from the Detroit Metropolitan Police Academy, Police Officer Manzella began her career at the Fifth Precinct; and

**WHEREAS** She dutifully served the Fifth Precinct, Sex Crimes, Fifth Precinct again, Eastern District, and Sex Crimes again. Officer Manzella displayed tremendous diligence and aptitude in her assignments. On August 15, 2014, she earned promotion to the rank of Detective and continued to serve at Sex Crimes and Homicide Section until her retirement; and

**WHEREAS** During her law enforcement career, Detective Manzella was the deserving recipient of the Departmental Citation, both Consent Judgment Awards, the Major League Baseball All-Star Recognition Award, Rosa Parks Funeral Recognition Award, Ford Fireworks Award, and Super Bowl XL Recognition Award, as well as commendations from supervisors and numerous letters of appreciation from citizenry; and

**WHEREAS** Detective Manzella has tirelessly served the Detroit Police Department, the citizens of Detroit and its neighboring communities for 23 years. Her professionalism, commitment to public service, integrity, and dedication have been a credit to the Detroit Police Department. She is highly respected as a consummate professional.

**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 Detective Laura Manzella's 23 years of dedicated and diligent public service. Her professionalism, integrity, and lifelong commitment to the City of Detroit and its citizens merit our highest regards.

We thank and congratulate you, Detective Laura M. Manzella.