



RESOLUTION NO. 13-70

**A RESOLUTION HONORING AND THANKING CHIEF ROBERT E. CARTER
FOR HIS SERVICE TO THE HUDSON COMMUNITY.**

WHEREAS, Chief Robert E. Carter began his career as the Fire Chief for the City of Hudson on July 3, 2000; and,

WHEREAS, Bob has diligently served a distinguished career by faithfully and professionally executing the duties of his position; and,

WHEREAS, Bob was instrumental in expanding and upgrading the department's technology and training, ensuring the best fire protection to the citizens of Hudson; and,

WHEREAS, Bob has been a valuable asset during critical incidents, including the floods of 2003 and a trench collapse in 2010; and,

WHEREAS, Bob has been actively involved with Leadership Hudson and has served on the Board of Directors for the County Fire Chiefs' Association and the Emergency Management Executive Committee for the Summit County Emergency Management Agency; and,

WHEREAS, Bob has been a valuable asset to the City's safety forces, staff, employees, elected and appointed officials, and the citizens of Hudson; and,

WHEREAS, Bob has submitted his retirement notice effective May 15, 2013; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Mayor and Council to publicly thank and honor Bob for his service with the City of Hudson.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved that the Council of the City of Hudson, Ohio, on behalf of itself and the citizens of the City, expresses its thanks and gratitude to Chief Robert E. Carter for nearly thirteen years of dedicated service to the City of Hudson.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be presented to Chief Carter.

Adopted this 15th day of May, 2013.

William A. Currin, Mayor

David A. Basil, President of Council

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