

Richland County Rules and Resolutions Committee & Ethics Board

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Agenda Item Name: 75th Anniversary of Soltwedel's Store

Department	County Board	Presented By:	Shaun Murphy-Lopez
Date of Meeting:	11/4/21	Action Needed:	Resolution
Disclosure:	Open Session	Authority:	Committee Structure, Section D
Date submitted:	11/3/21	Referred by:	None

Recommendation and/or action language:

Recommend a motion, to present a resolution to the County Board celebrating the 75th anniversary of Soltwedel's Store in Cazenovia.

Background:

Soltwedel's Store in Cazenovia recently celebrated their 75th anniversary of business. The following resolution is included for the committee's consideration.

RESOLUTION NO. 21 - _____

A Resolution Celebrating the 75th Anniversary of Soltwedel's Store.

WHEREAS a community celebration was held in Cazenovia on October 16th to honor the 75th anniversary of Soltwedel's Store in 1946, and

WHEREAS a large number of people gathered to honor this milestone, with live music by the Cazenovia German Band, and

WHEREAS John Soltwedel has been operating the general store since 1988, and

WHEREAS John's parents Paul and Irene owned and operated the store between 1946 and 1988, with help from John and his siblings, and

WHEREAS Soltwedel's Store provides the Cazenovia area with groceries and other retail goods, and

WHEREAS Soltwedel's Store is a throwback to the booming era of Richland County's small villages, and

WHEREAS small businesses like Soltwedel's provide sales and property tax revenue to fund local police protection, road maintenance, social safety net programs, and schools.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the County Board expresses its appreciation to Mr. Soltwedel and his family for their dedication to the people of Cazenovia and Richland County, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the County Board encourages residents and visitors to continue to support businesses like Soltwedel's Store, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Clerk is directed to send a copy of this Resolution to Mr. Soltwedel, and

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage and publication.

Attachments and References:

Financial Review:

(please check one)

<input type="checkbox"/>	In adopted budget	Fund Number	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Apportionment needed	Requested Fund Number	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other funding Source		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No financial impact		

Approval:

Review:

Department Head

Administrator, or Elected Office (if applicable)
