

Village Board Resolution

June 4, 2019

Be it resolved that the board of The Village Chicago acknowledges, with the deepest of gratitude, the contributions that Kathy and Jim Zartman, Marjorie and Harvey Freed, Michael and Judy Spock and Dianne Campbell have made to the community we live in by creating, supporting and growing the Village since its inception.

The Zartmans, Freeds and Spocks took the idea of creating a community that welcomes, includes and supports older people, and along with Dianne Campbell, made it a reality. From those first kitchen table meetings, these bright and forward thinking individuals, along with many others who joined them, envisioned remaining in the age-integrated communities in which they were living, and created the Village. We have since lost Michael and Harvey, but their absence does not dampen our gratitude.

Because of the wisdom, support and tenacity of this group of people, the Village was created, and for a decade it has supported and inspired countless individuals of all ages. Because of the founders' vision, the Village provides members with rides, resources, activities, expertise and a friend to lean on. It provides inspiration to members facing new challenges and transitions, and it provides members, now all over the city of Chicago with community, fun and friendships.

Therefore, be it recorded on this day, June 4, 2019, our thanks and gratitude to Kathy and Jim Zartman, Marjorie and Harvey Freed, Michael and Judy Spock and Dianne Campbell for their vision and the hard work undertaken by each of them to create and nurture the Village over this past decade, as well as our immense pride in them for a job well done.

In appreciation,

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