

**Proclamation
of the Kenilworth Park District Board**

A Proclamation in Honor of
Sara Morgan and Barbara Paine
Co-Chairmen of the Kenilworth Garden Club Ware Garden Project

WHEREAS, volunteering one's time, talent and resources has been a significant part of our American heritage; and

WHEREAS, it is critical that we continue such a tradition of giving and sharing to preserve and improve the quality of life for the citizens of our communities; and

WHEREAS, a community rich in volunteers who dedicate their time and service to the beautification of Kenilworth parks adds much to our community and the quality of life in Kenilworth; and

WHEREAS, The Charles A. Ware Memorial Garden has been an integral part of Kenilworth for almost 80 years; and

WHEREAS, The Charles A. Ware Memorial Garden was founded and established by Mrs. Ware and continually maintained and improved by Kenilworth Garden Club during these years; and

WHEREAS, Sara Morgan and Barbara Paine have for decades participated in the beautification of Kenilworth by serving on and co-chairing the Kenilworth Garden Club Charles A. Ware Memorial Garden Committee; and

WHEREAS, Sara Morgan and Barbara Paine were inspired to further beautify The Charles A. Ware Memorial Garden by returning a large section of it to its natural woodland habitat while further beautifying the fountain section previously donated by a Kenilworth Garden Club member; and

WHEREAS, Sara Morgan and Barbara Paine secured and supervised landscape professionals for the restoration of The Charles A. Ware Garden; and

WHEREAS, Sara Morgan and Barbara Paine restored The Charles A. Ware Memorial Garden mindful of sustainable and environmentally sound principles and practices; and

WHEREAS, Sara Morgan and Barbara Paine inspired Kenilworth Garden Club members and Kenilworth residents with their dedication to the garden; and

WHEREAS, Sara Morgan and Barbara Paine supervised Kenilworth Garden Club members in volunteering in The Charles A. Ware Garden; and

WHEREAS, Sara Morgan and Barbara Paine worked closely and coordinated with the Kenilworth Park District on the restoration and maintenance of Ware Garden; and

WHEREAS, Sara Morgan and Barbara Paine through their commitment, dedication and perseverance have brought much pleasure to Kenilworth residents, their families and friends and made Kenilworth a more beautiful place.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Kenilworth Park District Board does hereby thank Sara Morgan and Barbara Paine for their many years of service at The Charles A. Ware Memorial Garden, for beautifying Kenilworth, and for adding to the pleasure of its residents and visitors.

Proclaimed this 15th day of June, 2017.

KENILWORTH PARK DISTRICT BOARD

Heidi Higgins, Its President