

A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION AND TRIBUTE
FOR WASHTENAW COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION
COMMISSIONER FRED VEIGEL

March 11, 2014

WHEREAS, Fred Veigel was a tireless community leader and activist, always serving the best interests of the citizens of Washtenaw County; and

WHEREAS, Fred Veigel served with distinction on a number of boards and commissions, including the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 252, of which he was a member for 60 years – and serving as the AFL-CIO Huron Valley Labor Council President for nearly 45 years, notably the longest serving local president in North America; and

WHEREAS, Fred Veigel was also a member of the Washtenaw County Road Commission for 23 years, often serving as Chairman, and always ensuring the most prudent use of limited public resources while maintaining and improving our vital transportation network; and

WHEREAS, as a representative of the Washtenaw County Road Commission, Fred Veigel also served as an active member of the Washtenaw County Parks and Recreation Commission for over a decade; and

WHEREAS, his devotion to community service, his interests in a wide range of outdoor activities, and his background in construction services were of great value to the Washtenaw County Parks and Recreation Commission;

NOW THEREFOR BE IT RESOLVED, that the Washtenaw County Parks and Recreation Commission hereby acknowledges its respect and appreciation for the life-long community service of Fred J. Veigel, particularly as a member of the Parks and Recreation Commission. We will miss his energy, his involvement, his sense of humor, his optimism, and his dedication to improving the quality of life in Washtenaw County.

Robert Marans, President
Washtenaw County Parks and Recreation Commission