

**PROCLAMATION  
TROY COMMUNITY COALITION 20<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY &  
APPOINTMENT OF NANCY MORRISON AS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

**WHEREAS**, The **Troy Community Coalition for the Prevention of Drug and Alcohol Abuse** was created in 1991, as a non-profit organization dedicated to improving the quality of life for all who live or work in Troy, by promoting a lifestyle free from the abuse of alcohol, tobacco and other drugs; and

**WHEREAS**, Since its inception 20 years ago, the **Troy Community Coalition (TCC)** has developed and implemented prevention strategies based on our community's needs; influencing and promoting community norms to those supporting a lifestyle free from the abuse of alcohol, tobacco and other drugs through environmental strategies affecting the total population; and

**WHEREAS**, Troy is a community that establishes and supports policies and practices that promote substance abuse prevention such as **Troy Community Coalition's** programs: Operation Medicine Cabinet, Parents Who Host Lose the Most, and Project Sticker Shock; and

**WHEREAS**, Troy is a community which recognizes that substance abuse prevention efforts are most successful when understood and initiated across all communities and where a comprehensive system monitors indicators of community attitudes, conditions and alcohol, tobacco and other drug patterns; and

**WHEREAS**, Troy is a community where a variety of alcohol, tobacco and other drug-free activities are available to all such as Celebrity Night Dinner, Interfaith Prayer Breakfast, Rochester Villas Summer Camp, Spring Break Troy Style and Youth Rock 'N Bowl; and

**WHEREAS**, Troy is a community where training is provided to develop the skills necessary to prevent the abuse of alcohol, tobacco and other drugs such as Seven Habits of Highly Effective Teens, Tar Wars, Teens Taking Action, Training for Intervention Procedures, Choose Wisely and Teens Against Tobacco Use; and

**WHEREAS**, The **Troy Community Coalition** recently appointed **Nancy Morrison, MA, LLP, CPS** as the new Executive Director to carry on its mission and goals for the comprehensive community prevention plan. Nancy aims to carry forward the legacies of past executive director Ann Comiskey and founding director Mary Ann Solberg;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, That the Troy City Council does hereby congratulate the **Troy Community Coalition** on their **20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary** and the recent appointment of **Executive Director Nancy Morrison** and recognizes the Coalition's positive impact upon our community; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the City Council joins the citizens of this community in appreciation and celebration of the **Troy Community Coalition** on this important **20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary** milestone.

Presented this 17<sup>th</sup> day of October 2011