

***Service Commendation***  
**JACKIE SHERWIN-WRIGHT**

**WHEREAS, Jackie Sherwin-Wright** began her employment with the City of Troy as a part-time Crossing Guard at Morse Elementary in 1976; and

**WHEREAS,** In October 1979 **Jackie** was hired as a Police Service Aide to work in the newly opened Lock-up Facility in the Troy Police Department, representing the first time the department staffed a fully operational 24-hour-a-day Lock-up facility; and

**WHEREAS,** The Troy community has been privileged to have had **Jackie** dedicate the majority of her career to the Lock-up facility on the afternoon shift, assuming responsibility for booking prisoners, running breathalyzer tests, conducting prisoner searches and other assignments associated with the care and operation of the facility; and

**WHEREAS, Jackie** received three Letters of Commendation from the Chief of Police during the course of her career. Along the way, she also received training in the Communications Section, devoting some time to working in dispatch operations; and

**WHEREAS, Jackie's** most memorable career moments are from those busy nights in the Lock-up during the 1980s and 1990s when police officers would bring in all different types of interesting people from OUIL Enforcement nights or other directed enforcement patrol activities; and

**WHEREAS,** With time to now relax in her retirement years **Jackie** can spend more time with her husband, Steve, and daughter Anna, and her two teacup Chihuahuas. She looks forward to having more time to shop at estate sales, relax at home and cheer on the Detroit Red Wings; and

**WHEREAS, Jackie** retired from the City of Troy on January 27, 2006 after 27 years of service - the first Police Service Aide to retire from that position. During the course of her employment, **Jackie** has contributed many tireless hours of dedicated service.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN,** That the City Council of the City of Troy takes this opportunity to express its appreciation to **Jackie Sherwin-Wright** for her many contributions to the betterment of the City; and

**BE IT FURTHER KNOWN** That the City Council of the City of Troy, on behalf of themselves, City management, and the citizens of the City of Troy, extends wishes of prosperity, good health and happiness to **Jackie** during her retirement years.

Presented the 20<sup>th</sup> day of February 2006.