PROCLAMATION

Commending Public Works Director Fred Braun
Illinois Arborist Association
Award of Merit Winner

WHEREAS, *Fred Braun has been serving as the Village of Barrington's Public Works Director for over two years; and*

WHEREAS, *the 43rd Illinois Arborist Association Awards Program was held in Tinley Park, IL on Tuesday, November 18, 2025; and,*

WHEREAS, *Fred Braun was granted the Award of Merit; and*

WHEREAS, *in recognition of Fred Braun's unwavering support of the Illinois Arborist Association and the arboriculture profession throughout his 29-year municipal career; and*

WHEREAS, *Fred Braun has inspired leadership, encouraged certification, promoted volunteerism, and fostered professional growth within his teams and the broader community. His mentorship and dedication have left a lasting impact on the industry and those privileged to work alongside him.*

NOW, THEREFORE*, I, Mike Moran, President of the Board of Trustees for the Village of Barrington, Cook and Lake Counties, Illinois, do hereby congratulate and commend Fred Braun on winning the 2025 Illinois Arborist Association Merit Award.*

Dated this 15th day of December, 2025

Mike Moran, Village President