

## **RESOLUTION**

### **A RESOLUTION SETTING HALLOWEEN “TRICK OR TREAT” HOURS FROM 1:00 P.M. TO 5:30 P.M. ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2020**

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Oak Park traditionally establishes designated hours on October 31<sup>st</sup> for the children of Oak Park to enjoy the fun and excitement associated with Halloween; and

**WHEREAS**, local young people have participated in activities such as “trick or treat” during the designated hours; and

**WHEREAS**, as the Village continues to battle the COVID-19 pandemic, it is recognized that guidance from the U. S. Centers for Disease Control, the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) and the Oak Park Public Health Department will provide additional requirements that young people and their parents/guardians must observe in order to celebrate safely; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oak Park Public Health Director has recommended limited trick or treat hours to daylight and as this year Halloween is observed on a Saturday, the Health Director is specifically asking for the hours to be from 1:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Oak Park, in the exercise of their home rule powers, that “Trick or Treat” in the Village of Oak Park shall be conducted on Saturday, October 31, 2020, from 1:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. to increase the ability to safely observe signage which individual households may elect to post which note whether a home is participating in the traditional trick-or-treat activities on Halloween, or denotes that a home is not participating this year during the pandemic and seeks respect for that choice.

**THIS RESOLUTION** shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption and approval as provided by law.

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**ADOPTED** this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020, pursuant to a roll call vote as follows:

Voting	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
President Abu-Taleb				
Trustee Andrews				
Trustee Boutet				
Trustee Buchanan				
Trustee Moroney				
Trustee Taglia				
Trustee Walker-Peddakotla				

**APPROVED** this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

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Anan Abu-Taleb, Village President

**ATTEST**

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Vicki Scaman, Village Clerk