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RESOLUTION 2019-03: SUPPORT OF LETTER CARRIERS' "STAMP OUT HUNGER" FOOD DRIVE DAY, SATURDAY, MAY 11, 2019

WHEREAS, hunger is a problem faced at times by certain Monroe County residents, spanning such groups as children, the elderly, the ill, veterans, those with low incomes and many others; and

WHEREAS, 17.8% of people and 18.9% of children in Monroe County are food insecure

WHEREAS, the Monroe County Council has a long history of utilizing support from the Sophia Travis Community Services Grant Fund to give assistance to not-for-profit organizations and other volunteer groups who work to combat hunger in Monroe County; and

WHEREAS, past recipients of such support from the Monroe County Council to fight hunger have included the Hoosier Hills Food Bank, Mother Hubbard's Cupboard, Area 10 Agency on Aging, Community Kitchen of Monroe County, Grace Center, Inc., Hoosiers Feeding the Hungry, Local Growers Guild, and others; and

WHEREAS, on Saturday, May 11, 2019 the Letter Carriers of NALC Branch 828 along with the U.S. Postal Service will engage in the 27th Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive, collecting non-perishable food donations for the benefit of the Hoosier Hills Food Bank; and

WHEREAS, Stamp Out Hunger is the single largest food drive for the Hoosier Hills Food Bank each year,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MONROE COUNTY COUNCIL THAT:

- 1. It thanks the local Stamp Out Hunger organization, the local Letter Carriers of NALC Branch 828 and other personnel of the U.S. Postal Service, and all others who work to combat hunger in Monroe County; and
- 2. It encourages all Monroe County residents to join in the efforts of the U.S. Letter Carriers, for the "Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive" on Saturday, May 11, 2019, by setting out non-perishable food items for collection on behalf of the Hoosier Hills Food Bank.

Adopted this 23rd day of April, 2019. Passed by unanimous voice vote.

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