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Mayor and Town Council, Shepherdstown, West Virginia

Expressing Appreciation to Ernest "Ernie" Mose

WHEREAS, Ernest "Ernie" Mose has faithfully served the Corporation of Shepherdstown and its residents for 19 years as a dedicated member of the Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, Ernie has consistently demonstrated clear professionalism, remarkable dependability with attention to customer service, and a strong work ethic while helping maintain the Town's streets, utilities, parks, and public facilities; and

WHEREAS, Ernie has repeatedly gone above and beyond the responsibilities and expectations of his position by responding to calls for assistance after regular working hours, on weekends, and during emergencies and special events, always willing to lend a hand whenever and wherever the Town needed him; and

WHEREAS, Ernie's dedication, reliability, and unwavering commitment to serving the Town have earned the respect and appreciation of the Mayor, Town Council, his fellow employees, and most important, the residents of Shepherdstown; and

WHEREAS, Ernie's loyal service has made a lasting and meaningful impact on the Corporation of Shepherdstown and the community it serves;

WHEREAS, after 19 years of dedicated service, Ernie has announced his retirement from the Corporation of Shepherdstown;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED THAT the Mayor and Town Council of the Corporation of Shepherdstown do hereby express their sincere appreciation to Ernest "Ernie" Mose for his 19 years of outstanding service to the Town through the Public Works Department. The Mayor and Town Council extend their heartfelt gratitude for his dedication, dependability, and countless contributions to the community, and wish him all the best as he begins his retirement.

James Gatz, Mayor
Town of Shepherdstown
August 12, 2026