
**THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

**RESOLUTION
NUMBER 2017-016**

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AND
E & B AUTO PARTS FOR THEIR 40 YEARS IN
BUSINESS**

**DOMINGO F. VARGAS, Mayor
Randy Heuser, City Clerk**

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WHEREAS, E & B Auto Parts, was a small family owned business that began in 1977 at 85th & Halsted, in Chicago; and

WHEREAS, E & B Auto Parts, relocated to Blue Island in 1985, buying a location on 13538 S. Western Avenue; and

WHEREAS, in 1977, **Eddie and Toni Byrnes** ran the family business for forty years until his retirement in 2017; and

WHEREAS, E & B Auto Parts were members of PTROI (Professional Towing & Recovery Operators of Illinois), ARA (Automotive Recyclers Association), ARAU (Automotive Recyclers Association University), Blue Island/Crestwood Rotary, and the Blue Island Chamber of Commerce; and

WHEREAS, E & B Auto Parts has been able to assist in the safety training of our fine Blue Island firefighters, through the donations of hundreds of vehicles, helping to insure their proficiency, for the safety of the general public; and

WHEREAS, working with the Blue Island Police Department, they assisted in the removal and disposal of hazardous vehicles, as well as those involved in accidents, insuring the safety and security of the vehicle owner; and

WHEREAS, E & B Auto Parts proudly supported, Blue Cap School, Blue Island Fire Department, Blue Island Police Department, Blue Island Kiwanis, Blue Island Park District, Girl Scouts, School Dist. 130, School Dist. 218, Heritage for the Blind and many others; and

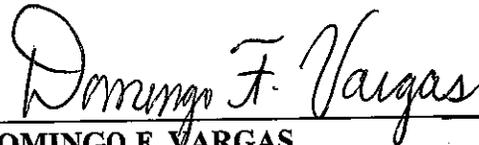
WHEREAS, after 40 years of doing business, **Eddie Byrnes** has respectfully retired and **E & B Auto Parts** has closed its doors; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Blue Island, County of Cook and State of Illinois wish to extend their best wishes and congratulations on their 40 years of doing business. We would also like to thank Eddie Byrnes and the E & B Auto Parts family for their dedication and generosity to the City of Blue Island and wish them well in their future endeavors.

ADOPTED this 25th day of April, 2017, pursuant to a roll call vote as follows:

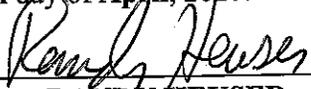
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| Alderman Hawley | | | X | | |
| Alderman Poulos | X | | | | |
| Alderman Vieyra | X | | | | |
| Alderman Bilotto | X | | | | |
| Alderman Rita | | | X | | |
| Alderman Donahue | | | X | | |
| Alderman Carr | X | | | | |
| Alderman Slattery | X | | | | |
| Alderman Ostling | X | | | | |
| Alderman Pittman | X | | | | |
| Alderman Johnson | | | X | | |
| Alderman Frausto | | | X | | |
| Alderman Thompson | | | X | | |
| Alderman Johanson | X | | | | |
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| Mayor Vargas | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 8 | | 6 | | |

APPROVED by the Mayor on April 25, 2017.



DOMINGO F. VARGAS
MAYOR OF THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND,
COUNTY OF COOK AND STATE OF ILLINOIS

ATTESTED and Filed in my office this
 25th day of April, 2017.



RANDY HEUSER
CITY CLERK