

RUSSELL

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TOWNSHIP

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**RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION AND APPRECIATION
TO
OFFICER SCOTT LILLASH**

WHEREAS, on September 4, 2019, Officer Scott Lillash, of the Russell Township Police Department, responded to a 9-1-1 call to find a pitt-bull dog viciously attacking a young child; and

WHEREAS, Officer Scott Lillash responded immediately and heroically, successfully Tasering the dog while it actively and continuously attacked the victim; and

WHEREAS, Officer Scott Lillash immediately put himself in peril from the attacking vicious dog; and

WHEREAS, Officer Scott Lillash, succeeded in freeing the child from the dog's grip, preventing further serious injury; and

WHEREAS, Officer Scott Lillash, demonstrated the character, compassion and courage for which our Russell Township Police Department is known;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Russell Township Board of Trustees and the Russell Township Fiscal Officer, for and on behalf of the residents of Russell Township, that sincere gratitude and appreciation be extended to Scott Lillash for his heroic actions in the service of the residents of Russell Township and the Russell Police Department.

Adopted by the RUSSELL TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES this 16th day of October 2019.

Justin Madden, Chair

Gary Gabram, Vice-Chair

James Mueller, Trustee

Karen Walder, Fiscal Officer