



TOWNSHIP OF SCHAUMBURG

# Proclamation

In Recognition of  
“Monarch Butterfly Month”

**WHEREAS**, the iconic monarch butterfly travels through Illinois on its impressive, multi-generational 3,000 mile migration between Mexico and Canada each year. The Monarch is a key pollinator in the United States that needs habitats with food, water and cover; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township of Schaumburg recognizes that the catastrophic monarch butterfly population decline requires intervention from federal, state and local agencies as well as community leaders to protect current pollinator habitats and create new ones; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township of Schaumburg has taken the Mayors Monarch Pledge to help rebuild natural habitats for monarch butterflies and to encourage residents to plant milkweed and other nectar plants. The Township will also continue to share educational information to contribute to the survival of the monarch butterfly.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED** that we, Supervisor Heneghan and Township of Schaumburg Trustees, on this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May, do hereby proclaim the month of May 2023 as **MONARCH BUTTERFLY MONTH** in the Township of Schaumburg.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Township of Schaumburg to be affixed this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May 2023.

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Timothy M. Heneghan, Township Supervisor