

## RESOLUTION 2024-007 A Resolution to Recognize Councilman Joshua Mertz

WHEREAS, Joshua Mertz has been a Town of Townsend resident for over 4 years; and

WHEREAS, Joshua Mertz has served the Town of Townsend as a member of Council since being appointed in August of 2020; and

WHEREAS, Joshua Mertz has served on various boards and committees during his time on Townsend Council including the Public Works Committee (20-23), Parks & Recreation Committee (20-22), Public Safety Committee (20-24), Code Review Committee (22-24), Veterans Committee (20-21), Community Relations Committee (20-21) and the Community Engagement Committee (23-24); and

WHEREAS, Joshua Mertz has volunteered his time above and beyond his Council and Committee duties to facilitate and attend Town events such as "Back to School Nights", "Christmas Caroling", "Halloween/Pumpkin Patch Events" and the "Town Fair"; and

WHEREAS, Joshua Mertz showcased his "woodworking" abilities by creating picture props for the Town Fair "Strawberry Festival" in 2024; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that Council Members Scott Lobdell, Joseph Bangura, Matthew Chapman, Marcus Suhr, and Dylan K. Wiggins along with the Town Staff and Town Residents would like to recognize Joshua Mertz for his dedication and service to the Town of Townsend and wish him the best in the future.

	Dated: Septe	mber 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
Scott Lobdel	l J	oseph Bangura
Matthew Chapman	Marcus Suhr	Dylan K. Wiggins