RESOLUTION

ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

<u>Katherine Luster, Brian Knudson</u> INITIATED BY



10/31/2023 DATE DRAFTED

Recognizing Judy Hanson

WHEREAS, Judy Hanson has served the citizens of Rock County for over twelve (12) years as a dedicated and valued employee of Rock County; and,

WHEREAS, Ms Hanson began working for the Beloit Community Support Program on June 27, 2011. She joined Rock County after serving five years with the Green County Community Support Program. Throughout her time with CSP, she has provided case management services, psychosocial rehabilitation services, and wraparound care to many individuals in the Beloit area suffering from serious and persistent mental illness. Without this care, these individuals would be at high risk for institutionalization, and Judy worked to provide them with the most independence possible; and,

WHEREAS, throughout her service to Rock County, Judy has consistently provided top level support to her consumers. She has done everything from side-by-side cleaning to finding housing, assisting them with their benefits, grocery shopping, one-on-one support for coping with symptoms of mental illness, and co-facilitating a group for dually diagnosed individuals with both mental illness and substance abuse disorders. She has a particular interest in helping people get to the dentist and understanding how important healthy smiles are for health and confidence. Judy has always been an incredible team player. Her peers and consumers knew she would go out of her way to be helpful and supportive to anyone in need. She has a knack for building rapport with anyone from any background. Judy knows she has the gift of gab and really enjoyed working with others who equally love to talk just as much; and,

WHEREAS, Judy Hanson has supported so many consumers over her years of experience, many of whom have been very isolated without family or other natural supports. She has become their family and has impacted people more than she could realize. Our team will not be the same without her as she is truly an incredibly compassionate coworker, friend, and advocate; and,

WHEREAS, the Rock County Board of Supervisors, representing the citizens of Rock County, wishes to recognize Judy Hanson for her dedication and contribution to the citizens of Rock County.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Rock County Board of Supervisors, duly assembled this <u>16th</u> day of <u>November</u> 2023, does hereby recognize Judy Hanson for her over 12 years of service and extend best wishes to her in her future endeavors.

Committee Action

Human Services Board

Human Services Board recommended this resolution for approval by a unanimous voice vote.

County Board Staff

County Board Staff Committee recommended this for approval by unanimous vote.