

*A Select Board Resolution
Honoring Town Employees
of the Town Natick*

Whereas, the Town of Natick 2020 Annual Report is dedicated to each and every employee of the Town, in recognition of their exceptional contributions throughout the year to the well-being and quality of life of those who live, work, or spend time in our community; and

Whereas, in a year in which a pandemic changed our way of life, employees at every level of municipal and school operations rose to meet the challenges under unprecedented conditions; and

Whereas, employees throughout all of the town's departments displayed extraordinary flexibility, creativity, and resiliency; they developed innovative ways to deliver services to the town's residents; closely collaborated with the business community to support businesses and mitigate the impact of the pandemic; took on work for other departments where the need for support was greatest; developed new ways to provide instruction in multiple settings; ensured municipal and school buildings were safe for employees, students, and the public; worked tirelessly for the well-being, safety, and protection for the rest of us; and continuously evaluated how to keep people safe and how to provide critical services to the community; and

Whereas, these efforts and successes provide an important reminder of the important role played by all Town employees, whether they are visible to the public or not. Their efforts in the ongoing evaluation of how to most effectively and efficiently provide services, how to recover from a pandemic as a community, and how to meet the challenges of the future, will continue to be a vital part of how Natick evolves in 2021 and the years beyond.

Now, therefore, the Natick Select Board honors each person who works for the Town of Natick and offers our sincere gratitude for their efforts and successes.

Karen Adelman Foster, Chair

Richard P. Jennett, Jr., Vice Chair

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