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February 4, 1994

*Ms. Sheila Schultz
Village President
Village of Wheeling
255 W. Dundee Road
Wheeling, IL 60090*

Dear Ms. Schultz,

Congratulations to the Village of Wheeling as it celebrates its 100th Anniversary! It is always a pleasure to see a neighbor reach this important milestone. On behalf of the Board of Trustees and the people of the Village of Glenview I would like to extend my best wishes for continued success in the future.

Once again, congratulations. The Village of Wheeling has made great strides in improving the quality of life for those people who live and work there. I am confident that these accomplishments will continue for many years to come. Please take good care.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nancy L. Firfer". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'N'.

*Nancy L. Firfer
Village President*

PROCLAMATION

Office of the Mayor

City of

Des Plaines, Illinois

WHEREAS, The Village of Wheeling is celebrating its 100th Birthday on June 22, 1994, having been incorporated in 1894; and

WHEREAS, The City of Des Plaines recognizes the accomplishments of this neighbor community and relates to the historical aspects and development of Wheeling - the Potawatomi Indians establishing camps in the area along the Des Plaines River and its development by settlers in 1833; and

WHEREAS, The entire year will be highlighted by various commemorative activities including the initial Centennial Gala on February 5, 1994 presented by the Jaycees; the Goodwill Industries' "Petticoats to Pants Memories of Fashions Through the Ages" Fashion Show; and the Wings & Wheels Show featuring antique airplanes and cars sponsored by the Prospect Heights Convention & Visitors Bureau at Palwaukee Airport; and

WHEREAS, The 1994 Centennial Parade will be held at 2PM, Sunday, June 26, 1994 and will kick off a week-long celebration which will culminate with a fireworks display on July 4, 1994; and

WHEREAS, Des Plaines wishes all Wheeling residents and its municipal leaders the very best as the community joins in celebrating these very special times.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TED SHERWOOD, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF DES PLAINES, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM FEBRUARY 5, 1994, AS THE ONSET OF THE

WHEELING CENTENNIAL GALA

AND ASK LOCAL RESIDENTS TO ACKNOWLEDGE THIS HISTORICAL EVENT.

Dated this 5th day of February, 1994.



A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ted Sherwood".

Ted Sherwood, Mayor

grace mary stern

291 Marshman Street, Highland Park, IL 60035

2-2-94

Dear Friends in Wheeling!

One hundred years old — you don't
look it, not nearly.

The General Assembly of Illinois was
so impressed with your age & vitality that
they passed the attached resolution at my
suggestion. Congratulations to you all —

Warm regards -

state senator • 29th district
Grace Mary



STATE OF ILLINOIS
EIGHTY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SENATE

Senate Resolution

Offered by Senator Grace Mary Stern

WHEREAS, The Village of Wheeling will celebrate its 100th Anniversary with a series of events throughout the whole centennial year; and

WHEREAS, A Centennial Gala on February 5, 1994, will begin the year-long festivities; presented by the Wheeling Jaycees, it will feature a silent auction, delicious appetizers and sweets, and a variety of musical entertainment from the past and present; and

WHEREAS, The Village was incorporated in 1894, but its history goes back to the Potawatomi and their settlements on the banks of the Des Plaines River; and

WHEREAS, A stage route from Chicago went through the area in 1836, and a tavern-hotel was built in 1837, marking the beginning of "Restaurant Row" along Milwaukee Avenue; and

WHEREAS, Industry began in 1850 with the establishment of the Periolat Brewery, which helped to inspire the creation of "Restaurant Row"; and

WHEREAS, The growth of business in Wheeling has outpaced that in Cook County and the State of Illinois, and that has resulted in a strong job market and a strong tax base, making Wheeling a good place to live and work; and

WHEREAS, Wheeling proudly celebrates its Centennial as a caring community that is continuing to grow; and

WHEREAS, As part of the celebration, there will be a Fashion Show sponsored by Goodwill Industries, a Wings & Wheels Show sponsored by the Prospect Heights Convention & Visitors Bureau, a Birthday Party and week-long celebration culminating in fireworks on July 4th, a Centennial Golf Outing, a Civil War Reenactment, and other events; and

WHEREAS, The Village of Wheeling has a rich history and a promising future; and

WHEREAS, Residents of the Village of Wheeling are community-minded and are justly proud of their schools, churches, and service clubs; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we congratulate the Village of Wheeling on its Centennial, commend its residents for their support of community service efforts, and wish everyone in Wheeling all the best in the future; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this preamble and resolution be presented to the Village President.

STATE OF ILLINOIS
EIGHTY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

House Resolution No. 1870

Offered by Representatives Gash - Parcells - Krause

WHEREAS, It has come to the attention of this Body that the Village of Wheeling is celebrating the centennial of its incorporation; and

WHEREAS, Wheeling was incorporated on July 17, 1894, and the certificate of incorporation was issued by the Secretary of State on August 27, 1894; and

WHEREAS, In the years since its settlement, Wheeling has seen the coming of electricity, telephones, automobiles, tractors, fire trucks, and water and gas systems; it has faced wars and rationing, and has welcomed peacetime and its returning servicemen; and

WHEREAS, The residents of the Village of Wheeling are proud of its history and its contributions to the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The year-long celebration will begin on February 5, 1994, presented by the Wheeling Jaycees, to "Celebrate Tomorrow with Yesterday's Memories"; therefore be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we congratulate the residents of the Village of Wheeling on the centennial of its incorporation and extend our sincere wishes for future success and growth; and be it further

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Michael J. Madigan

Michael J. Madigan, Speaker of the House

Anthony D. Rossi

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The Flag of the United States of America

This is to certify that the accompanying flag was flown over the United States Capitol on January 1, 1994 at the request of the

Honorable Philip M. Crane

Member of Congress

Presented to The

Village of Wheeling In Honor of Your Centennial



George M. White
George M. White, FAIA
Architect of the Capitol

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GENERAL ASSEMBLY
STATE OF ILLINOIS
grace mary stern
STATE SENATOR • 29TH DISTRICT

February 22, 1994

The Honorable Sheila Shultz
Wheeling Village Residents
Wheeling Village Hall
255 West Dundee Road
Wheeling, IL 60090

Dear Wheeling Village Friends:

Warm wishes for the Village of Wheeling's
Centennial!

In recognition of this momentous occasion I would
like to present the village with an Illinois State flag
that has flown over the capital in Springfield.

Congratulations!

Cordially,

Grace Mary

Long may it wave!

AMVETS

Phillip Carpenter Post No. 66

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June 22, 1994

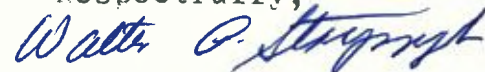
Village Of Wheeling
255 W. Dundee Rd.
Wheeling, IL 60090

To The Village Board,

It is with great pride and honor that Wheeling AMVETS Post 66 presents this POW/MIA flag to be dedicated on this founders day June 22, 1994.

We hope it will forever fly together with other National and Village flags to honor those that are still missing or imprisoned on foreign soil.

Respectfully,



Walter P. Stryszyk
Commander Post 66