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WHEREAS, Ed Posh became the first Head Golf Professional at the Village Links of Glen Ellyn when it opened in 1967 as a municipal golf course, creating an environment for golfers of all levels at a place where they could participate in social and competitive events that were typically offered only at private country clubs; and

WHEREAS, in 1968, Posh started the first annual Village Links Junior Championship, later devising an innovative Junior Golf Program, helping hundreds of young students each year learn the game; and

WHEREAS, when Post retired in 1995, the Ed Posh Scholarship Fund was created to honor his many contributions; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Scholarship Fund is to financially assist local area youth in attending college or career training; and

WHEREAS, since 1995, the Scholarship Fund has provided over \$600,000 in scholarships to 85 Posh Scholars and 66 have graduated. In 2015, there will be 16 scholars in school collectively receiving \$40,000 in assistance; and

WHEREAS, the Scholarship Fund raises funds through donations and the annual Ed Posh Shootout Golf Scramble Tournament & Dinner Party, to be held this year on Friday, July 17 at the Village Links Golf Course, with 100% of the net proceeds of this fundraising event going solely to the Scholarship Fund.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ALEXANDER DEMOS, President of the Village of Glen Ellyn, Illinois, do hereby extend congratulations to the Ed Posh Scholarship Fund for 20 years of service to local scholars and encourage citizens to support the services offered by the Ed Posh Scholarship Fund by participating in the annual Ed Posh Shootout Scramble Tournament & Dinner Party on Friday, July 17 at the Village Links Golf Course.

> VILLAGE PRESIDENT ATTEST:

VILLAGE CLERK

June 22, 2015