

# LAKE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



AUGUST 12, 2021

## RESOLUTION IN CELEBRATION OF THE SUCCESS OF THE LAKE COUNTY FAIR

WHEREAS, The Lake County Fair was held from Tuesday July 27<sup>th</sup> through Sunday August 1<sup>st</sup>. 133,384 people attended; a new record that surpassed the 2001 previous record of 128,400; and

WHEREAS, Beginning with the huge crowd that witnessed the kickoff parade on Tuesday evening, people rushed to make their way to the fairgrounds. The Veterans Day Program was well attended by Veterans and Active Military alike and the Baked Goods Auction received substantial support; and

WHEREAS, Family Day on Wednesday was the largest Wednesday attendance on record and the Monster Truck Show that evening was a crowd pleaser. Attendees also enjoyed the other special events held during the Fair such as the annual Senior Day, Kids Day, Latino Day, KOI Dirt Drag Racing and Horse Pulls events. Saturday's 4-H Livestock Auction attracted 75 buyers which raised a record \$289,000, almost \$100,000 above the previous high. Commissioner Plecnik might know a thing or two about that as, along with taking his turn at being The Voice of the Fair, he won the auction for the Reserve Champion Project Goat, raised by 4-H member Teagan Pfeister; and

WHEREAS, the success of the Lake County Fair 2021 would not have been possible without the support and dedication of the Fair Board of Directors and staff; Georgianne Adams, Michelle Byram, Wade Crofoot, Todd Demshar, Jim Farrell, Royce Gregory, Jeremy Hejduk, Dave Herroon, Jerry Merhar, Steve Ohmes, Dick Parker, Mike Peplowski, Rob Sidley, Robert C. Sidley, James Slansky, Joe Slansky, Sam Taylor, Rich Van Pelt, Dave Wilcox, Jr., and Cindy Woodman. The Lake County OSU Extension also played an important role in the achievement of breaking the Fair attendance record.

NOW THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners, in and for Lake County, congratulates the entire Lake County Fair Board and staff on a very successful and record breaking year!

  
JOHN R. HAMERCHECK, PRESIDENT

  
JOHN PLECNIK, COMMISSIONER

  
RON YOUNG, COMMISSIONER