

RESOLUTION NO. 4-17

**A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING
EASTERN LAKE COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
2017 HERITAGE AWARD
PROJECT HOPE FOR THE HOMELESS**

WHEREAS, Project Hope for the Homeless has silently served the homeless community of Northeast Ohio since 1993 with the mission of responding to the human hurts and hopes of homeless persons in Lake County by providing emergency shelter, care and guidance; and

WHEREAS, Project Hope provides a warm place to sleep, dinner, showers and individualized weekly goal-setting meetings with a professional for up to 50 men, women and children each night. Donated hot meals are served nightly by volunteers; guests are permitted to stay up to 45 days as long as they follow the program rules and work to meet their customized goals; and

WHEREAS, Project Hope has dormitories for men and women and a private family center for Families Moving Forward. The Family Center includes private family bedrooms and two bathrooms as well as an outdoor play space;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PAINESVILLE, LAKE COUNTY, OHIO:

SECTION I. That this Council, for itself, and on behalf of the Administration and citizens of Painesville, hereby recognizes Project Hope for the Homeless for their commitment to the community and their relentless dedication to improving the quality of life for so many persons of Lake County.

SECTION II. That this resolution shall be entered upon the permanent record of the City of Painesville, and a certified copy hereof shall be present to Project Hope for the Homeless.

SECTION III. This this resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED: January 17, 2017

ATTEST:



**VALERIE VARGO
CLERK OF COUNCIL**



**PAUL W. HACH, II
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL**