

**CITY OF ROCHESTER HILLS  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR**

**PROCLAMATION  
IN RECOGNITION OF**

# **Oceania Inn**

- WHEREAS,** the City of Rochester Hills takes immense pride in the diversity and cultural richness of its residents and businesses, celebrating the unique contributions they add to our community’s vibrant tapestry; and
- WHEREAS,** Oceania Inn was founded in 1972 by Paul and Amy Leung as a means of livelihood for Chinese-speaking family members, and developed over the next five decades into a cherished neighborhood restaurant offering delicious Chinese cuisine; and
- WHEREAS,** the restaurant’s journey from its original location on Main Street to Meadowbrook Mall, then to University Square Plaza and now to its current location on Livernois, reflects its growth and adaptation alongside parallel changes in Rochester Hills; and
- WHEREAS,** now that Paul and Amy’s children – Jennifer, Jason and Jodie – have stepped into roles at Oceania Inn, the restaurant has established its own family legacy, with patrons whose loyalty now also spans multiple generations; and
- WHEREAS,** Chinese New Year, also known as Spring Festival, was celebrated worldwide, on February 10, 2024, marking the Year of the Dragon; and
- WHEREAS,** Oceania Inn, under the Leung family’s care, embodies the Dragon’s attributes of strength, good fortune, transformation and unity.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the City of Rochester Hills acknowledges Oceania Inn’s meaningful contribution to our city’s cultural landscape over the last fifty-two years, extends our best wishes for continued success at their new location, and hopes our entire community enjoys a peaceful and prosperous Chinese New Year in this auspicious Year of the Dragon.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused my Seal to be affixed this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2024 in the City of Rochester Hills, Michigan.

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Bryan K. Barnett, Mayor  
City of Rochester Hills