



Proclamation

“Illinois Arts & Humanities Month”

Whereas, the arts and humanities are the embodiment of all things beautiful and entertaining in the world, the enduring record of human achievement; and

Whereas, the arts and humanities enhance every aspect of life in Lincolnwood, improving our economy, enriching our civic life, driving tourism, and exerting a profound positive influence on the education of our children; and

Whereas, arts education research shows that the arts help to foster discipline, creativity, imagination, self-expression, and problem solving skills while also helping to develop a heightened appreciation of beauty and cross-cultural understanding; and

Whereas, we use the humanities, history, literature, philosophy, to explore what it means to be human; and

Whereas, the arts and humanities play a unique and intrinsically valuable role in the lives of our families, our communities, and our state; and

Whereas, the month of October has been recognized as National Arts and Humanities Month by thousands of arts and cultural organizations, communities, and states across the country, as well as by the White House and Congress for more than two decades.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Gerald C. Turry, President of the Village of Lincolnwood along with the Village Board of Trustees do hereby proclaim October 2012 as:

“Illinois Arts & Humanities Month”

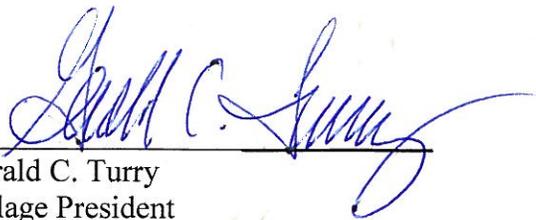
And call upon all citizens to celebrate and promote the arts and culture in the Land of Lincoln.

DATED this 2nd day of October, 2012

ATTEST:



Beryl Herman
Village Clerk



Gerald C. Turry
Village President