



**Village of Westmont
VILLAGE BOARD**

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**Proclamation 23 - _____
Support of CUSD201 Students Efforts for Ukraine**

Whereas, the Village of Westmont has always supported the students of our community; and,

Whereas, this year Westmont students will attend the Ukraine Action Summit, a community advocacy event on Capitol Hill; and,

Whereas, Ukraine proclaimed independence from the Soviet Union on August 24, 1991 and adopted its own constitution, with a duly elected president, with 44 million citizens; and,

Whereas, the Soviet Union invaded Ukraine on February 24, 2022 resulting in destruction of property and civilian casualties that is condemned by the United States and countries around the world; and,

Whereas, these students have an interest and give effort to community support, and work hoping to make a difference in our world is applauded; and

Whereas, the Village of Westmont supports the work of Westmont High School students and their attendance, representation, and participation at the Ukraine Action Summit in Washington D.C.; and,

THEREFORE, I, Ronald J. Gunter, Mayor of the Village of Westmont, do hereby proclaim the Village of Westmont support of our students' work on behalf of the Ukrainian people in our community, in DuPage County, and abroad.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Village of Westmont, DuPage County, Illinois, this 19th day of October, 2023.

Ayes: _____ Nays: _____ Absent: _____

Ronald J. Gunter
Mayor

Attest: _____
Virginia Szymski
Village Clerk