

Board of Commissioners of Cook County

118 North Clark Street Chicago, IL

Legislation Text

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PROPOSED RESOLUTION

HONORING OAK PARK BOY SCOUT TROOP 16 ON THE OCCASION OF ITS 100^{TH} ANNIVERSARY

WHEREAS, on March 16, 1916, Oak Park Boy Scout Troop 16 was chartered under the sponsorship of First Presbyterian Church; and,

WHEREAS, 100 years later it is the oldest remaining scout troop in Oak Park; and,

WHEREAS, community service is a staple for troop 16, and has been since World War I, when it sold \$25,000 in victory bonds; and,

WHEREAS, Troop 16 has conducted the annual Thatcher Woods cleanup for the last twenty years, thereby contributing to the health and vitality of the Cook County Forest Preserve; and,

WHEREAS, Troop 16's outdoor program teaches scouts problem solving, perseverance, and teamwork; and,

WHEREAS, Troop 16 is committed to developing Oak Park area boys into productive and responsible young men;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the president and Cook County Board of Commissioners recognize Oak Park Boy Scout Troop 16 in its centennial year, and support its growth and continued success for 100 more.