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OESJ Official Board of Education Resolution

Whereas, the Oppenheim Ephratah St. Johnsville Central School District is fortunate to have many talented and dedicated employees among its ranks, it is prudent to acknowledge, celebrate and thank those whose contributions extend beyond the norm. These individuals often have a positive impact on our students, on the school district, and on the community as a whole.

Whereas each year during the holiday season, the OESJ Elementary School sponsors a toy raffle whose proceeds are donated to the the H.C. Smith Benefit Club, also known as the St. Johnsville Civic Club, Inc., a not-for-profit organization that provides temporary relief, monetary or otherwise, to persons who are in need due to financial hardship, physical affliction, or family tragedy;

Whereas it takes great organizational skills and initiative to organize the mass of toys and funds donated for the raffle by the many staff members, parents and community members of the OESJ School District, all of which takes a great amount of effort and tireless work to ensure every child receives a present;

Therefore, be it resolved that the Board of Education of the Oppenheim Ephratah St. Johnsville Central School District wishes to publicly thank and recognize Mrs. Jill Fredericks and Mrs. Amanda Schwasnick for taking the initiative to organize the toy raffle, which raised over \$2,300, and brought so much joy into the hearts of our students during the holiday season and let them know how much their efforts are appreciated.

Signed this 2nd day of January 2019

*Neil Clark
Board of Education President*