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RESOLUTION NO. _____ - 2021

RECOGNIZING and honoring Virginia Scott, Director of Nursing Services for the City of Cincinnati, for her work during the COVID-19 pandemic and as a representative of all the nurses who have served on the frontline providing medical care to patients suffering from Covid-19

WHEREAS, Virginia Scott is the Director of Nursing Services for the City of Cincinnati and has been a leader in the City’s response to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 is an illness caused by a virus that can transmit from person to person and has spread across the world, creating a global pandemic that is having catastrophic effects on human life, our community, and our economy; and

WHEREAS, in response to rapid spread of COVID-19, nurses have been on the frontlines of the pandemic, directly responsible for taking care of COVID patients and their families, amidst danger to themselves, and limited resources; and

WHEREAS, Virginia Scott, in her role as a public servant and public health leader, has successfully managed this response on behalf of all our City’s heroic nurses; and

WHEREAS, nurses have the highest rate of infection among all healthcare workers; and

WHEREAS, each nurse we lost to COVID-19 was a valued member of our community, and contributed to our communities’ safety during a devastating time; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Cincinnati, State of Ohio:

Section 1. That the Mayor and this Council hereby recognize and honor Virginia Scott for her own work serving patients during the COVID-19 pandemic and in celebration of all the nurses who have fought on the frontlines of this pandemic, risking their lives for the health of their greater community, and in memory of the nurses we lost along the way.

Section 2. That this resolution be spread upon the minutes of Council.

Passed: _____, 2021

John Cranley, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk

Submitted by Councilmember Greg Landsman