



NORTH OAKLAND COUNTY FIRE AUTHORITY

BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 2026-004

ADOPTED JULY 28, 2026

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1966-2026

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ROGER CASTER

FOR SIXTY YEARS OF DISTINGUISHED SERVICE

TO THE NORTH OAKLAND COUNTY FIRE AUTHORITY AND THE COMMUNITIES WE SERVE

WHEREAS, the North Oakland County Fire Authority recognizes that the safety and well-being of our communities are built upon the dedication, integrity, and selfless service of those who answer the call to serve others; and

WHEREAS, Roger Caster began his service to the fire department in June 1966, embarking on what would become an extraordinary sixty-year commitment to protecting the lives and property of the citizens of Holly Township, Rose Township, and the surrounding communities; and

WHEREAS, throughout six decades of service, Roger faithfully served as a firefighter, officer, and Fire Chief, providing steady leadership, sound judgment, mentorship, and an unwavering commitment to the advancement of the fire service and the betterment of this department; and

WHEREAS, Roger's service has spanned generations of firefighters, significant advancements in emergency services, and the evolution of this organization into the North Oakland County Fire Authority, while his dedication to duty and commitment to public service have remained constant; and

WHEREAS, Roger's lifelong commitment to the fire service reflects a proud family tradition of serving others, inspired by his father, Ward Caster, whose service to the department was strengthened by the devoted support of his wife, Millie Caster, through the Women's Auxiliary, and continued through succeeding generations of the Caster family who have faithfully served both the fire service and the citizens of this region; and

WHEREAS, Roger's legacy is measured not only by the thousands of emergency calls answered, but by the firefighters he mentored, the leaders he developed, the friendships he forged, and the lasting impact he has had upon this department and the communities it serves;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED

THAT the Board of Directors of the North Oakland County Fire Authority hereby expresses its deepest gratitude and appreciation to Roger Caster for sixty (60) years of distinguished, faithful, and exemplary service, recognizing his extraordinary dedication as one of the longest-serving members in the history of this organization.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board recognizes Roger Caster's contributions as a firefighter, officer, Fire Chief, mentor, and ambassador of the fire service, whose character, leadership, and commitment have helped shape the culture and success of this department for generations.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board acknowledges with gratitude the enduring legacy of the Caster family, whose multi-generational commitment to public service has enriched the North Oakland County region and stands as an enduring example of civic responsibility, family values, and service above self.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors proclaims June 1966 through June 2026 as Roger Caster's Sixty Years of Service, recognizing this remarkable milestone as an enduring testament to the highest ideals of the American fire service and expressing the sincere gratitude of the citizens whose lives have been made safer through his dedication.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution be entered into the permanent records of the North Oakland County Fire Authority, and that a signed copy be presented to Roger Caster as a lasting expression of the Authority's appreciation for a lifetime of extraordinary service.

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