



NO. 2015-5 HONORING SLATS BLIND AND SHUTTER EXPERTS

WHEREAS, Rudy Forte and Tom Huber own a successful business, Slats Blind and Shutter Experts, which they founded in 1994, and

WHEREAS, Slats donated the blinds for the office of the Golf Manor Fire Chief to complete much needed renovations, and

WHEREAS, this office would otherwise be unusable in the afternoon, and

WHEREAS, the Village could not afford to restore this space for several years without the volunteer efforts of village employees and benefactors like Slats, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Forte and Mr. Huber have always made charitable community giving a cornerstone of their business philosophy, supporting youth baseball, youth soccer, and the Deveroes Summer Basketball League for local college basketball players, and

WHEREAS, Slats has also donated blinds to area grade schools, high schools, and the Fairfield Police Department, and

WHEREAS, The Golf Manor Fire Department now has a more efficient base of operations to better serve and protect the public,

NOW THEREFORE, I, Mayor Alan Zaffiro, declare Sunday, July 26, 2015 as "Slats Blind and Shutter Experts Day" in the Village of Golf Manor, Ohio.

I ask the community on that day to join us in thanking Rudy Forte and Tom Huber for their contributions to Golf Manor and the greater Cincinnati community.

PROCLAIMED this 22nd day of June, 2015.

Mayor Alan D. Zaffiro

Gregory Doering, Clerk-Treasurer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Robert T. Butler, Solicitor

Great Village