

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-8

RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION FOR ESTHER STEEL

WHEREAS, Esther Steel has faithfully served as a Trustee of the Geneva Public Library District from May 5, 2003 through December 18, 2014; and

WHEREAS, Esther served as President of the Geneva Public Library District Board from May 26, 2005 through December 18, 2014; and

WHEREAS, Esther's life-long passion for libraries and her dedication to the welfare and progress of the Geneva Public Library during her tenure on the Library Board provided the Geneva Public Library with stability and intelligent leadership which allowed it to prosper and to provide effective and caring service to its patrons; and

WHEREAS, guided by Esther's leadership, the Library will be equipped to evaluate the evolving needs of its patrons, including securing a new downtown location if future studies determine that a new facility is appropriate to meet those long-term needs; and

WHEREAS, through her tireless work on behalf of the Geneva Public Library District, Esther has earned the respect and friendship of the officials and staff of the public bodies which serve the City of Geneva; and

WHEREAS, though the opportunity for Esther to move to a home outside the Library District and to begin a new chapter in her life represents a significant loss to the Library, we wish her the best and want to take this opportunity to thank her sincerely for her dedication and consistent willingness to step up and meet any challenge that faced the Library while she was at its helm.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Geneva Public Library District, Kane County, Illinois that this Resolution of Appreciation be made public and provided to Esther Steel with the deep affection, respect, and gratitude of the Geneva Public Library District.