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MAYORAL PROCLAMATION

HONORING CTF ILLINOIS

COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION OF THE MONTH – DECEMBER 2025

WHEREAS, CTF Illinois is a nonprofit organization dedicated to creating pathways toward independence, inclusion, and meaningful opportunity for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities; and

WHEREAS, CTF Illinois, which stands for Communities Transform Futures, has for more than 50 years provided person-centered services including residential support, employment programs, community engagement, life-skills development, and advocacy for individuals and families across the region; and

WHEREAS, CTF Illinois has demonstrated an ongoing commitment to empowering individuals to live self-directed, fulfilling lives, strengthening not only those they serve but the fabric of the communities in which they live; and

WHEREAS, CTF Illinois has been an active partner in the Orland Park community, offering support services, fostering volunteerism, collaborating with local organizations, and ensuring that residents with disabilities have equitable access to resources, social connection, and opportunity; and

WHEREAS, CTF Illinois played an instrumental role in maintaining essential state services for Orland Park residents by providing temporary space for the Secretary of State facility, ensuring uninterrupted access for seniors, families, and vulnerable individuals; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Orland Park values compassion, dignity, accessibility, and inclusion-principles that are demonstrated daily through the work and mission of CTF Illinois; and

WHEREAS, the Village wishes to honor organizations whose impact, service, and dedication strengthen community well-being, expand opportunity, and contribute to a more inclusive and supportive Orland Park for all residents;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jim Dodge, Mayor of the Village of Orland Park, do hereby recognize CTF Illinois as the Community Organization of the Month for December 2025, and encourage residents to join in acknowledging their meaningful contributions, advocacy, and commitment to enhancing lives within our community.

Dated this 1st day of December, 2025.

Mayor Jim Dodge
Village of Orland Park