

## Chatham Police Department

117 EAST MULBERRY CHATHAM, ILLINOIS 62629

Resolution 21-

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT 1990

WHEREAS, THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF TOWN WATCH IS SPONSORING THE 7th ANNUAL EDITION OF A SPECIAL, COAST TO COAST COMMUNITY CRIME PREVENTION EVENT ON AUGUST 7th, 1990 CALLED "NATIONAL NIGHT OUT" - AMERICA'S NIGHT OUT AGAINST CRIME; AND

WHEREAS NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH PLAYS AN ESSENTIAL ROLE ASSISTING THE CHATHAM POLICE DEPARTMENT THROUGH IT'S COOPERATIVE CRIME PREVENTION EFFORTS IN CHATHAM AND IS SUPPORTING THE "NATIONAL NIGHT OUT" EFFORT LOCALLY: AND

WHEREAS, IT IS IMPORTANT THAT ALL CITIZENS IN CHATHAM BE AWARE OF THE IMPORTANCE OF CRIME PREVENTION PROGRAMS AND THE POSITIVE IMPACT THAT THEIR PARTICIPATIONCAN HAVE ON REDUCING CRIME AND DRUG ABUSE IN OUR NEIGHBORHOODS; AND

WHEREAS, "NATIONAL NIGHT OUT" PROVIDES AN OPPORTUNITY FOR CHATHAM TO JOIN TOGETHER WITH THOUSANDS OF OTHER COMMUNITIES ACROSS THE COUNTRY IN SUPPORT OF SAFER NEIGHBORHOODS AND TO DEMONSTRATE THE SUCCESS OF COOPERATIVE CRIME PREVENTION EFFORTS; AND

WHEREAS, NIGHBORHOOD AWARENESS, SPIRIT, AND COOPERATION ARE IMPORTANT THEMES OF THE "NATIONAL NIGHT OUT" PROJECT AND KEY COMPONENTS IN HELPING THE CHATHAM POLICE DEPARTMENT TO FIGHT CRIME AND DRUG ABUSE;

NOW, THEREFORE WE, THE VILLAGE PRESIDENT AND VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, DO HEREBY CALL UPON ALL OF THE CITIZENS OF CHATHAM TO JOIN NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH AND TO SUPPORT AND PARTICIPATE IN THE 7TH ANNUAL "NATIONAL NIGHT OUT" ON AUGUST 7, 1990.

FURTHER, LET. IT BE RESOLVED THAT, WE, THE VILLAGE PRESIDENT AND THE VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1990 FROM 8:00PM TO 10:00PM AS "NATIONAL NIGHT OUT" IN CHATHAM, IL.

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