A RESOLUTION HONORING THE BRAVE GALVANS THAT RESCUED E.S.D.A. DIRECTOR BOB JOHNSON FROM HIS BURNING HOME THEREBY PREVENTING HIS CERTAIN DEATH

WHEREAS, the City of Galva is conscious of conspicuous acts of bravery under hazardous conditions performed by its citizens; and

WHEREAS, apathy and cowardice are inimical to the values Galvan's hold dear; and

WHEREAS, the City looks with favor on those that selflessly put themselves in jeopardy to protect the lives and property of others ; and

WHEREAS, Roger Smith, John Jaco, Jason Smith and Branden Macklin eschewed apathy and cowardice for prompt, courageous and selfless action;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GALVA, ILLINOIS:

RESOLVED, That the Mayor and City Council of the City of Galva hereby congratulate Mr. Roger Smith, Mr. John Jaco, Mr. Jason Smith, and Mr. Branden Macklin for prompt, courageous and selfless action on the afternoon of 8 October, 2011, when the aforementioned rushed into harm's way to save the life of Galva's Director of Emergency Services and Disaster Agency from the flames and smoke that had engulfed his home.

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City Clerk of the City of Galva shall cause a certified copy of this resolution be presented to the aforementioned as soon as possible after its passage.

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City Clerk of the City of Galva shall cause this Resolution to be published in The Galva News at the first opportunity following its passage.