## VILLAGE OF FOREST VIEW COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

## **PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, it is with great pleasure that the Village of Forest View and the Board of Trustees celebrates the 75th Anniversary of Lorraine and Tony Faikus, and

**WHEREAS**, Lorraine & Tony Faikus celebrated their 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on May 8, 2023 thereby reaching a milestone few are fortunate to achieve, and

**WHEREAS,** Mr. Tony Faikus is a WWII veteran and fighter squadron leader, flying 190 missions against the Japanese Empire, shooting down some Japanese planes, and logging 520 hours of combat flying in 4 different fighters, and

**WHEREAS,** Mrs. Lorraine Faikus is a terrific cook, devoted wife, mother and community member, and just all around one amazing lady, and

**WHEREAS,** Mr. and Mrs. Faikus moved to the Village of Forest View in January of 1953 where they together raised 2 children, and are blessed to have 5 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. They remain an integral part of not only their nuclear and extended family, but also the Forest View community. Their greatest enjoyment is spending every moment together as a family, and

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Nancy L. Miller**, President of the Village of Forest View, Illinois, urge all citizens of Forest View and surrounding communities to join together in wishing *Mr. and Mrs. Faikus a very Happy 75th Anniversary.* 

IN OFFICIAL RECOGNITION WHEREOF, I hereby affix my signature this 25th day of April, 2023

Nancy L. Miller
President of the Village of Forest View