Village of Arlington Heights Proclamation

Arlington Aces U15 Girls Team

2018 US Youth Soccer National Presidents Cup Champions

WHEREAS, the Arlington Aces U15 Girls Team has demonstrated commitment, dedication, sportsmanship, and teamwork on their journey from youth to teens in the Aces Soccer Club and;

WHEREAS, the team entered the US Youth Soccer National Presidents Cup Tournament in 2018 which had them playing in Illinois, Ohio, and Indiana, and;

WHEREAS, the Arlington Aces placed first in their group and won the Illinois Presidents Cup Championship and;

WHEREAS, the team moved on to the Presidents Cup Midwest Tournament in West Chester, OH. After a tie against the state champions from Missouri, the Aces were victorious in their remaining group games against state champions from Ohio and Wisconsin. The Aces had tough games in the semi-final and final, winning both games over teams from Iowa and Minnesota to become Midwest champions and;

WHEREAS, the Arlington Aces moved on to the National Presidents Cup Championship in Indiana. In their first game, the Aces suffered their first loss in Presidents Cup play but bounced back the next day, winning over a team from North Carolina. On the last day of group play the Aces secured a victory over a team from Nevada and a spot in the championship game. In the finals the Aces faced a rematch of their earlier defeat but were victorious and won the US Youth Soccer National Presidents Cup Championship, the first national soccer championship in the history of the Arlington Aces Soccer Club, which dates back to 1978.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Thomas W. Hayes, Mayor of Arlington Heights, along with the Arlington Heights Village Board of Trustees, do hereby offer congratulations to the Arlington Aces U15 Girls Team for their outstanding achievement.

Thomas W. Hayes, Mayor

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