



Proclamation

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES

R.A. RHOADS, INC.

Whereas, Washington Township zoning inspectors, in the course of their work, determined that a failing roof on a McEwen Road house created a safety hazard for the resident, a senior woman who did not have the resources to make the needed repairs; and

WHEREAS, Bob Rhoads, owner of R.A. Rhoads, Inc. of Washington Township, learned of the situation and quickly arranged for a roofing contractor to replace the roof at no cost to the resident; and

WHEREAS, As Bob Rhoads learned more about the condition of the property, he and project manager George Kuntz proceeded to contact 30 other contractors about windows, gutters and other building elements that needed to be replaced or repaired; and

WHEREAS, By the time contractors were done with their work, the house had received new windows, new furnace and duct work, electric service, insulation, vinyl siding, gutters, exterior doors, hard-wired smoke detectors, drywall, kitchen cabinets and countertop, kitchen appliances, and new landscaping -- all of it at no cost to the resident.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Washington Township Board of Trustees, Montgomery County, Ohio, that R.A. Rhoads, Inc. be commended for restoring the home of a resident in need, for involving other businesses in this project, and for setting a high standard of public service that has the potential to inspire others in our community.

Proclaimed this 7th day of April 2008.

Attest to: _____
Thomas J. Zobrist, Fiscal Officer

Joyce C. Young, President

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Lee E. Snyder, Trustee