



# *Honorary Resolution*

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL AND MAYOR  
*City of Jamestown, New York*

*In recognition of*

**JOSEPH POLLARO**

*March 29, 2021*

BY COUNCILMAN RUSSELL

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- Whereas* We join with people from throughout Jamestown in thanking and celebrating the heroic actions of Department of Public Works Employee Joseph Pollaro; and,
- Whereas* On Tuesday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2021, a fire broke out in a residential building on the corner of Washington Street and West Seventh Street; and,
- Whereas* While working a shift in his dump truck, Joseph Pollaro saw the fire, heard second floor residents screaming for help, showed quick-thinking and a selfless nature, advising those to jump; and,
- Whereas* Upon each resident jumping, Pollaro put his own physical safety aside, caught them, and went to the ground each time, helping save the lives of these residents; and,
- Whereas* Pollaro stayed until Jamestown Fire Fighters were on the scene and assessed the situation safe before he left; and,
- Whereas* Upon leaving, went and resumed his workday, and maintained a humble attitude throughout; and,
- Whereas* Through his act of quick-thinking heroism, Joseph Pollaro saved multiple lives from death in a fire.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** That the Jamestown City Council do hereby recognize Joseph Pollaro in the month of March 2021 to thank him for his heroism in saving multiple lives and reflect upon his selfless act.

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Anthony Dolce  
Council President

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Edward A. Sundquist  
Mayor

I, Jennifer R. Williams, City Clerk of the City of Jamestown, New York, do hereby certify that the above resolution is a true and correct copy of the resolution adopted by the City Council of the City of Jamestown at a regular meeting held March 29, 2021.

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Jennifer R. Williams  
City Clerk