

# Resolution

R-07-05

ADOPTED: July 5, 2005

## A RESOLUTION THANKING THE ATHENS YOUTH BASEBALL ORGANIZATION FOR THE WEST STATE STREET FIELD RENOVATIONS.

**WHEREAS**, The Athens Youth Baseball Organization was formed to promote baseball and provide a safe environment to the youth in our community; and

**WHEREAS**, The Athens Youth Baseball Organization arranged sponsorship from local businesses and citizens to renovate the West State Street ball fields; and

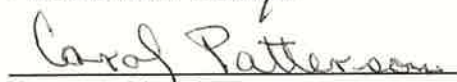
**WHEREAS**, the Athens Youth Baseball Organization's Board of Directors and Sandlot League participants donated countless hours working on the fields during the Spring of 2005 resulting in six dugouts, three backstops, two pitchers' mounds, and new fencing on three fields;

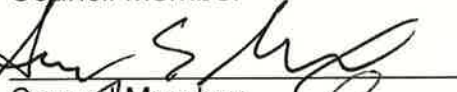
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATHENS, OHIO:

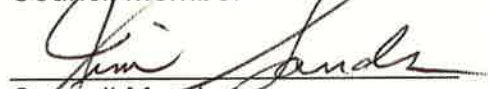
**SECTION I:** That Athens City Council wishes to thank the 2005 Athens Youth Baseball Organization Officers: Bill Fournier, President; Keith McGrath, Vice-President; Kevin Schwarzel, Treasurer; Bob Staron, Secretary; Don Cooley, Past President; George McCarthy, Legal Advisor; and Mike Rider, League Development; for the renovation of the West State Street fields, re-creations of and named after major league ball fields Fenway Park, Wrigley Field, and Jacobs Field, with future plans for the addition of Yankee Stadium and Crosley Field.

**SECTION II:** That Athens City Council also wishes to thank area businesses and professionals who have supported and donated their time and expertise to this project.

  
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President of Council

  
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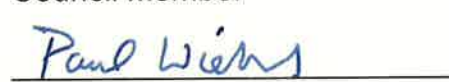
  
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