

A RESOLUTION HONORING REV. FR. ENZO ADDARI, S.C., IN CELEBRATION OF HIS 25TH ANNIVERSARY IN THE PRIESTHOOD AND AS A DEVOTED SERVANT OF DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED CHILDREN

WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

June 20, 2001

WHEREAS, Fr. Enzo Addari was ordained in the priesthood on May 8, 1976 in his hometown of Corcumello (L'Aquila), Italy and during that time joined in the Congregation of the Order of the Servants of Charity, and

WHEREAS, the Servants of Charity were founded in the late 19th century by Blessed Fr. Louis Guanella, who developed a "mission of service to persons who, individually or as a group, live in diverse situations of physical and psychological, material and moral poverty, as well as in isolation or under oppression", and

WHEREAS, during his distinguished career, Fr. Enzo became licensed in Biblical Theology at the Pontifical University in Rome in 1977, and went on to obtain his Masters Degree in Education Administration from Villanova (Pa.) University, and

WHEREAS, Fr. Enzo served the boys and men of St. Louis Center in Chelsea from 1983-88 as Program Director, and from 1991-97 as Administrator, and

WHEREAS, during his time spent in Washtenaw County, Fr. Enzo served the developmentally disabled children of St. Louis Center with love, compassion, and a tireless devotion to his duties, and

WHEREAS, many of Fr. Enzo's friends from throughout Washtenaw County will gather to pay him tribute at St. Mary Parish in Chelsea on June 9, 2001 during a special celebration of his life and his many contributions to our community;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners commends Rev. Fr. Enzo Addari on the milestone of his Silver Anniversary Celebration, thanks him for his service to the poor and developmentally disabled, and wishes him continued success in all of his future endeavors.