

*West Deptford Township**Proclamation*

WHEREAS, Linda Ziccardi began teaching fitness classes in 1998 at Lucille Roberts in Deptford and Club fitness in Westville. She came to RiverWinds in 2002 as an original hiree, before the building opened. She is certified through American Council on Exercise; and

WHEREAS, in 2005, Linda Ziccardi elected to work additional hours at the RiverWinds front desk while still teaching fitness classes, and continued working the front desk until this year. Linda dedicated herself to the front desk's opening shift every Wednesday and Friday morning, where she would greet our members with a big smile and a hello. Members complimented on how wonderful of an employee she was; and

WHEREAS, Linda Ziccardi also previously worked as a gym teacher at Holy Angels Catholic School in Woodbury, New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, In addition to fitness, Linda Ziccardi is a huge animal advocate. She is constantly making a difference in the animal rescue/adoption world as it is her passion; and

WHEREAS, Linda Ziccardi is a previous resident of West Deptford where she raised her son Matthew Uhr, and now resides in Runnemede with her husband Vito Ziccardi. She enjoys inspiring and motivating members to become healthy and is passionate about making a difference in their lives.

WHEREAS, On September 1st, 2019, Linda Ziccardi retired from her positions at RiverWinds Community Center. Linda recently decided to switch her path in life and attend ASI Career Institute to become a certified medical assistant. Upon graduation, she will be certified in CMA, EKG and Phlebotomy and will be working at Cooper Medical Center. Linda has provided 18 years of service to RiverWinds. She will be missed and hard to replace.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of West Deptford, County of Gloucester, State of New Jersey join the RiverWinds staff and residents of The Township of West Deptford in expressing appreciation to Linda Ziccardi, for her loyal and dedicated service.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that I extend Linda Ziccardi my personal best wishes upon her retirement and for continued success in her life's pursuits.

PRESENTED this 4th day of September, 2019.


JAMES MEHAFFEE, DEPUTY MAYOR

