RESOLUTION NO. 2024-39 SUPPORTING OPERATION GREEN LIGHT FOR VETERANS WHEREAS, the residents of Hendricks County, Indiana have great respect, admiration, and the utmost gratitude for all the men and women who have selflessly served our country and this community in the Armed Forces; and WHEREAS, the contributions and sacrifices of those who served in the Armed Forces have been vital in maintaining the freedoms and way of life enjoyed by our citizens and Hendricks County seeks to honor individuals who have made countless sacrifices for freedom by placing themselves in harm's way for the good of all; and WHEREAS, veterans continue to serve our community through organizations such as the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, religious groups, civil service, and by functioning as County Veterans Service Officers; and WHEREAS, the National Association of Counties encourages all counties, parishes, and boroughs to recognize Operation Green Light for Veterans and this vibrant and symbolic gesture serves as a visible reminder to veterans that their service is seen, valued, and honored by their local communities; and WHEREAS, Operation Green Light for Veterans further aims to facilitate connections between veterans and vital county resources, fostering an environment where former service members can access the assistance, guidance, and support necessary to thrive in civilian life; WHEREAS, Hendricks County appreciates the sacrifices of our United States military personnel and believes specific recognition should be granted; therefore, be it **RESOLVED**, that with designation as a Green Light for Veterans, Hendricks County hereby declares the period from October 14th through Veterans Day, November 11th, 2024, as a time to salute and honor the service and sacrifices of our veterans and men and women in uniform; be it further **RESOLVED**, that in observance of Operation Green Light, Hendricks County encourages its citizens, in patriotic tradition, to recognize the importance of honoring all those who made immeasurable sacrifices to preserve freedom by displaying green lights in a window of their place of business or residence from November 4th through the 11th, 2024. **APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 24th day of September, 2024. HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS Phyllis M. Palmer, President Bob Gentry, Vice President Dennis W. Dawes, Member ATTEST: Nancy L. Marsh, Auditor 리민리민리민리민리민리