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IN GOD WE TRUST SIGNAGE FOR CITY OF FREEPORT BUILDINGS AND PUBLIC SAFETY VEHICLES

On July 17, 2017 City of Freeport Council passed Resolution 2017-44 Resolution of the City of Freeport, Illinois Authorizing the Public Display of the Official Motto of the United States of America, “In God We Trust”, at City Hall. This was presented by Alderman at Large, Andrew Chesney.

The cost of creating and installing such plaque shall not be paid for from City funds and shall be paid for through donations. The final design shall be approved by the City Manager prior to installation.

Fund-raising for this will be headed by Concerned Women for America of Illinois. The group hopes to raise \$20,000 that would enable to signage to be placed at City Hall and other City buildings along with Public Safety vehicles.

Checks should be made out to **CWA** and sent to City Hall, 314 W. Stephenson Street, Suite 200, Freeport, IL 61032. All donations for the “In God We Trust” initiative are tax deductible.

Donations are requested to be sent by October 31, 2017.