Resolution 81-27

Encomium for City Controller Pat Gross

- WHEREAS, Pat Gross began working for the City in 1974 and had served as secretary to the Mayor and Assistant City Controller before being appointed City Controller in 1976; and
- WHEREAS, under Pat's leadership the Controller's Office has increased in both efficiency and effectiveness, resulting in large savings to the City in terms of time and money; and
- WHEREAS, Pat has made many long-lasting contributions to the Controller's Office, including streamlined financial procedures, more informative and interesting budget formats, a computerized records system that is serving as a model state-wide, and an investment program that has added thousands of dollars to the city's coffers; and
- WHEREAS, in addition to her excellent service as controller,
 Pat has served the City in many other capacities, including being a member of the Board of Public Safety
 and Utilities Service Board; and
- WHEREAS, Pat has been recognized as one of the best controllers in the state and has long been appreciated by her fellow workers for her charm, cheerfulness, tact, even temper, sense of humor, knowledge of city affairs, and good common sense; and
- WHEREAS, Pat has always performed her duties for the City with a high level of skill and dedication and has served as a model to other public servants;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON THAT:

The Council expresses its deepest appreciation to Pat Gross for her many years of dedicated service to the City and wishes her the best of luck in her new career in the private sector.

ADOPTED upon this 31 day of August, 1981.

Alfred I. Towell, President Bloomington Common Council

Francis X. McCloskey, Mayor City of Bloomington