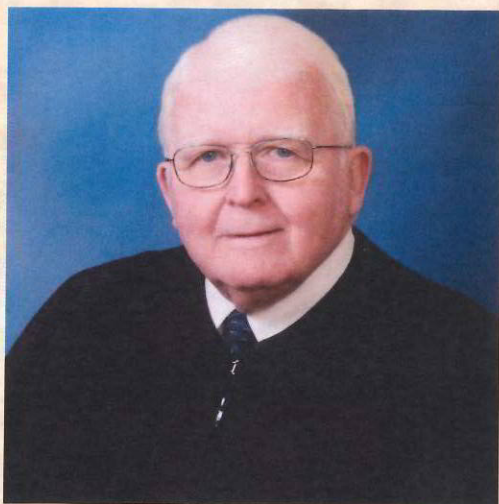


22nd Judicial Circuit
McHenry County, Illinois

Courthouse Dedication Ceremony
in honor of

Judge Michael J. Sullivan
(Retired)



September 19, 2019

11:00A.M.

Michael J. Sullivan Judicial Center
West Entrance
2200 North Seminary Avenue
Woodstock, Illinois 60098

WHEREAS, Judge Michael J. Sullivan has faithfully served the residents of McHenry County since December 6, 1976, when he was appointed as an Associate Judge for the 19th Judicial Circuit of Lake and McHenry Counties; and

WHEREAS, Judge Michael J. Sullivan was elected as a Resident Circuit Judge for McHenry County on December 3, 1984, for the 19th Judicial Circuit; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure, Judge Michael J. Sullivan served in all divisions of the court and presiding over criminal, civil and family court cases; and

WHEREAS, Judge Michael J. Sullivan served as the Presiding Judge for McHenry County, when McHenry County was part of the 19th Judicial Circuit from 1992 until 2002; and

WHEREAS, when the 22nd Judicial Circuit was created, Judge Michael J. Sullivan was elected by the Circuit Judges to the position of Chief Judge of the 22nd Judicial Circuit of McHenry County, a position he held from December 2006, until his retirement in December 2018; and

WHEREAS, Judge Michael J. Sullivan embraced collaboration with the other branches of government, other county departments and other state agencies; and

WHEREAS, Judge Michael J. Sullivan has been a leader of vision and has aided in bringing the court into the technological age; and

WHEREAS, Judge Michael J. Sullivan worked tirelessly to improve the efficiency of the court; and

WHEREAS, Judge Michael J. Sullivan, served on the Illinois Supreme Court Commission on Access to Justice, as a champion for promoting, facilitating and enhancing equal access to justice for all people, particularly the poor and vulnerable; and

WHEREAS, Judge Michael J. Sullivan is a man of honor, humility, integrity and dedication; and

WHEREAS, Judge Michael J. Sullivan is a servant leader who should be properly recognized.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by this County Board of McHenry County, Illinois hereby authorizes that the McHenry County Government Center located at 2200 North Seminary Avenue, Woodstock, Illinois, shall forevermore be renamed, and known as the Michael J. Sullivan Judicial Center.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Clerk is hereby authorized to distribute a certified copy of this Resolution to the McHenry County Administrator, Deputy County Administrator, Chief Judge of the 22nd Judicial Circuit, 22nd Judicial Circuit Trial Court Administrator, Circuit Clerk of the 22nd Judicial Circuit, McHenry County Sheriff, McHenry

Event Schedule

Welcoming Remarks: Chief Judge James S. Cowlin

Flag Presentation: McHenry County Chiefs'
Honor Guard

Pledge of Allegiance: Chairman Jack Franks
McHenry County Board

Comments: Mrs. Peg Sullivan

Remarks: Justice Rita B. Garman
Illinois Supreme Court

Unveiling

Remarks: Michael J. Sullivan

Closing Remarks: Chief Judge James S. Cowlin



Special Thanks to:

McHenry County Board

Kathy Keefe,
Circuit Clerk of the Court

McHenry County Sheriff's Office and Court
Security

McHenry County Chiefs'
Honor Guard

Marty Padjen
Padjen Glass Etching

Ralph's Rental

The Public House, Woodstock

