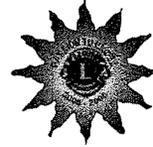
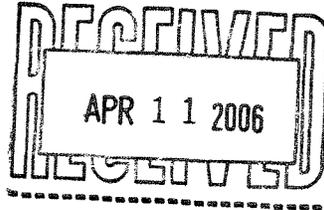




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 April 10, 2006

Peter Ashton, Chairman
 Acton Board of Selectmen
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Dear Chairman Peter:

Each year our lion district 33N (northeast Massachusetts) honors our District Governor toward the end of the year with a testimonial. This year the testimonial will be held at the Holiday Express in Woburn on Saturday evening June 3rd. We will be honoring our District Governor Louise Wojtkiewicz, a past president and current member of the Acton Lions Club.

Lion Louise joined the Acton Lions Club October 1, 1997 but has been involved with the lion's family since her husband Peter joined June 1, 1971. Louise was in charge of ticket sales at the Acton Lions sponsored carnival held for many years and she was referred to as the "carnival queen". She served as president of the Acton Lions Club 2003-2004, one of the largest lions clubs in the state with approximately 90 members. During her presidency the club was selected as the best extra large club in district 33N and the best large club in Massachusetts.

She served district 33N as the District Journey for Sight Chairperson. A member and treasurer of our walk-a-ton committee, representative to the All State Band Committee and State Treasurer of the Committee. Louise served as Cabinet Secretary Treasurer and Vice District Governor to the District. She has served on the Eye Mobile committee as secretary and also Vice President. She served on our MERLO Committee (Membership, Extention, Retention, Leadership, and Orientation).

Louise has been recognized Internationally with a "Melvin Jones Fellowship" for humanitarian service and received a Massachusetts Lions Eye Research "Sight Award" for her contributions of service to the fund.

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Louise is serving her second year of the board of directors of our Massachusetts Lions Eye Research Fund, Inc. and will be re-appointed in July to a four-year term. The fund in the past five years has given grants in excess of a million dollars each year to eye research labs in Massachusetts.

It is hard to realize the importance of Cabinet Secretary-Treasurer, Vice District Governor, and District Governor of the lions as the year they are serve each of these offices, they visit over 50 clubs, one each evening. In this office, they attend monthly council meetings, five mid-winter conferences, 5 testimonials, district meetings, many club fundraisers & service project all over the state.

Saturday, June 3rd, we will also be celebrating the 50th wedding anniversary of Louise and her husband Peter.

I would greatly appreciate it if you would prepare a proclamation and mail it to my home to arrive before May 20th so it could be included in the evening program and read the evening of June 3rd.

Sincerely,

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Board of Selectmen Proclamation

Whereas: Lion Louise Wojtkiewicz has been actively involved with the Acton Lions Club since 1971 when her husband Peter became a member; and

Whereas: Louise was involved with the Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts in Acton from 1969 through 1975, Den Leader, Coach and first woman commissioner of the Boy Scouts of America in Acton; and

Whereas: Lion Louise was a charter member of the Acton Lioness Club and joined the Acton Lions Club in 1997 actively serving on the Town Fair Committee as co-chairperson for five years, the Youth Speech Committee, Football Food Booth Committee, Ski & Skate Sale Committee, a director, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Vice President; and

Whereas: Lion Louise served as the Acton Lions Club 48th president, 2002-2003, during the year the club was selected as Best Extra Large Club in the State and Outstanding Large Club in Massachusetts Lions District 33N (northeast Massachusetts); and

Whereas: Lion Louise has been recognized by the Acton Lions Club with a Progressive Melvin Jones Award and a Massachusetts Lions Eye Research Fund, Inc. Sight award, recognized by her district with a District Governor Appreciation medal and recognized internationally with an International President's Certificate of Appreciation; and

Whereas: Lion Louise has served as Massachusetts Lions All-State Band Chairperson, 33N Journey for Sight Chairperson, 33N Walk-a-Thon Treasurer, Massachusetts Lions All-State Band Treasurer, as a director to the Massachusetts Lions Eye Research Fund, Inc. and Vice District Governor of Massachusetts Lions District 33N; and

Whereas: Lion Louise is serving as Massachusetts Lions District 33N's District Governor 2005-2006 and is serving on the Massachusetts Multiple District 33 Council of Governors visiting all fifty three of the lions clubs in her district at least once during the year;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Acton Board of Selectmen join with the Lions of Massachusetts, Lions District 33N, in honoring Lion Louise Wojtkiewicz at her testimonial on Saturday, June 3, 2006, and thank her for her dedication to her town and all her volunteer efforts. The Board also congratulates Louise and her husband Peter who are also celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

Walter M. Foster, Chair

Andrew D. Magee, Vice-Chair

Lauren S. Rosenzweig, Clerk

F. Dore' Hunter, Member

Peter K. Ashton, Member