**RESOLUTION NO. 2016-3.14**

**OF THE GOVERNINB BODY**

**OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

**WHEREAS, OUR Nation’s Vietnam War Commemoration gives us the opportunity for all Americans to recognize, honor and thank our Veterans and their families for their service and sacrifices during the Vietnam War from November 1, 1955 0 May 15, 1975; and**

**WHEREAS, over 9,000 organizations across America have joined with the Department of Defense as a Commemorative Partner to honor our Nation’s Vietnam Veterans, including the National Society Daughters American Revolution; and**

**WHEREAS, this commemoration includes nine million Americans, with approximately 7.2 million of them living today, and makes no distinction who served in-county, in-theater, or were stationed elsewhere during those 20 years, all answered the call of duty; and**

**WHEREAS, Veterans’ Affairs Secretary Robert A. McDonald has designated March 29, 2016, the last day that U.S. troops were on the ground in Vietnam, as a day to honor those who have “borne the battle”, and to extend gratitude and appreciation to them and their families;**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Mayor Jonathan Dunleavy, Mayor of the Borough of Bloomingdale, along with the Borough Council, do hereby proclaim March 29, 2016, as Welcome Home Vietnam Veteran’s Day in the Borough of Bloomingdale.**

## Record of Council Vote on Passage

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| Councilman | aye | nay | Abstain | Absent | Councilman | aye | nay | Abstain | Absent |
| Sondermeyer | X |  |  |  | Dellaripa | X |  |  |  |
| D’Amato | X |  |  |  | Costa | X |  |  |  |
| Hudson | X |  |  |  | Yazdi | X |  |  |  |

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the Governing Body of the

Borough of Bloomingdale at an Official Meeting held on Tuesday, March 15, 2016.

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Jane McCarthy, R.M.C.

Municipal Clerk, Borough of Bloomingdale