CITY OF HYATTSVILLE

PROCLAMATION

RECOGNIZING THE UNSETTLED DEBATE AMONG THE YOUTH OF HYATTSVILLE REGARDING THE CORRECT CATEGORIZATION OF HOT DOGS

This proclamation recognizes that the decision to officially declare a hot dog as a sandwich or not is unable to be made at this time due to a 50-50 tie vote conducted on May 9, 2023.

WHEREAS, On May 9th, 2023 the City of Hyattsville held its Biennial City Election and provided an opportunity for the City's youth to vote on the question, "Is a hot dog a sandwich?"; and

WHEREAS, there were 100 votes cast with each side receiving 50 votes; and

WHEREAS, the result of this vote is a true testament to the diversity of opinions in the City as well as the inclusive nature of its residents in their ability to be accepting of differing viewpoints of their neighbors; and

WHEREAS, debate and discussion of this matter will continue in the City of Hyattsville over the next two years and will be brought back to the youth of the City of Hyattsville for another vote during the City's next Biennial Election in May of 2025.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council officially declares the hot dog question to be unsettled in the City of Hyattsville and that it will be brought back for a vote in May of 2025.

Robert Croslin

Mayor, City of Hyattsville May 15, 2023

