



**GARDINER CITY COUNCIL  
AGENDA ITEM INFORMATION SHEET**



<b>Meeting Date</b>	01/06/2021	<b>Department</b>	City Council
<b>Agenda Item</b>	4.a Resolution Honoring Former Councilor Jon ault		
<b>Est. Cost</b>	n/a		

**Background Information**

This agenda item is the recognition of former City Councilor Jon Ault for his years of service to the city as a council member.

A proclamation is attached.

<b>Requested Action</b>	'I move to adopt the Proclamation for former City Councilor Jon Ault, with many thanks for his years of dedicated service to the city.'
<b>City Manager and/or Finance Review</b>	The City Manager recommends the above action.
<b>Council Vote/ Action Taken</b>	
<b>Departmental Follow-Up</b>	

<b>City Clerk Use Only</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Reading _____	Advertised _____	<div style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <b>EFFECTIVE DATE</b>            _____         </div>
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**Gardiner**  
PROCLAMATION *Moving Forward*

**Whereas**, Jonathan Ault was first elected in 2014 by the voters of the City of Gardiner in a citywide vote and was subsequently elected again in 2016 and 2018 to serve six consecutive years as City Councilor;

**Whereas**, Jon was a driving force on the Council to ensure food sustainability through his work with the Gardiner Food Co-op and the City's Food Sovereignty Ordinance;

**Whereas**, Jon supported relief programs to protect Gardiner's fire victims during three separate and devastating fire occurrences;

**Whereas**, the Council always appreciated Jon's thorough and thoughtful issue review, his respect for fellow councilors and his deep and sincere concern for the people of our city;

**Whereas**, Jon devoted endless hours to the city Comprehensive Plan and its Heart and Soul process;

**Whereas**, Jon supported local non-profits and valued their contribution to Gardiner;

**Whereas**, Jon worked diligently to create and approve a fair budget every year for the city's taxpayers;

**Whereas**, Jon displayed his commitment to the city by purchasing a home and partnering with his wife to open a successful floral design studio in our community;

**Whereas**, Jon's intelligence, integrity and passion for the city of Gardiner made him a valued member of Council;

**Whereas**, Jon's presence will be missed but not forgotten as we look to fill empty slots on our many Boards and Commissions;

**Whereas**, all the residents of this community extend their heartfelt gratitude and thankfulness for Jon's six years of city service;

**Whereas**, this community wishes Jon and Andrea the very best in their future endeavors and we are indebted to you for many contributions to the city;

**THEREFORE**, I, Patricia Hart, Mayor of the City of Gardiner, along with Gardiner's City Council do hereby Proclaim, Saturday, January ninth (9<sup>th</sup>), in the year Two Thousand and Twenty-One as JONATHAN AULT Appreciation Day.

I certify that the Proclamation was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Gardiner at a regular meeting held on January 6, 2021.

**Passed and adopted this 6th day of January 2021.**

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Patricia Hart, Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_

Alisha Ballard, City Clerk

