RESOLUTION NO. 2016 - <u>003</u> A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE OF HOPKINS PARK REGARDING PERSONNEL APPOINTMENT AND ACCEPTANCE OF RESIGNATION

WHEREAS, the President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Hopkins Park, Illinois are authorized by law and/or ordinance to appoint and terminate employees of the Village of Hopkins Park; and

WHEREAS, Illinois State Statutes, at 65 ILCS 5/3.1-30-5 provides in pertinent part, that "the President, with the advice and consent of the Village Board may appoint officers necessary to carry into effect the powers conferred upon municipalities... but the term of office may not exceed that of the Mayor or President of the Municipality"; and

WHEREAS, the Municipal Code of the Village of Hopkins Park, Illinois of 1984, as amended, provides in Chapter 2, President, Section 3, Appointment of Officers, provides in pertinent part that "The President shall appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Board of Trustees, all officers of the Village whose election or appointment is not otherwise provided for. Any vacancies occurring in an appointive office shall be filled in the same manner"; and

WHEREAS, the current Village of Hopkins Park Employee Handbook provides in pertinent part in the Section entitled Personnel Rules and Regulations, at paragraph (g), "...All Village employment is at will and any Village employee may be terminated at any time with or without cause"; and

WHEREAS, on May 5, 2015, the term of the previous Mayor/President and respective appointments of officers/employees during his tenure, ended, and the four (4) year term of the newly elected president and members of the Board of Trustees began; and

WHEREAS, on May 19, 2015, the President and Members of the Board of Trustees appointed and/or extended the appointment of existing officers/employees until May 26, 2016; and

WHEREAS, the village clerk is appointed by the President with the advice and consent of the Board of trustees; the appointment of the current Clerk as expired; and the President desires to make an appointment to the office of Clerk for the Village; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hopkins Park, Kankakee County, Illinois, and a Home Rule Unit of Government, as follows:

- **Section 1.** That the forgoing Recitals/Findings shall be and are hereby incorporated in this Section 1 as if said recitals were fully set forth herein.
- **Section 2.** That Jamal Robinson is appointed a Village Trustee in the Village of Hopkins Park to take effect May 19, 2015, until May 19, 2017.

Section 3. That Ieshia Shields is appointed to the office of Village Clerk of the Village of Hopkins Park effective June 2, 2015, until May 1, 2017 at the adjusted pay scale and/or expenses /mileage, as approved by the Village Board.

Section 4. That Bruce Collins is appointed to the position of Building Inspector/Code Enforcement for the Village of Hopkins Park effective May 5, 2016 until May 1, 2017, unless otherwise terminated.

Section 5. That Ollie Panio is appointed to the position as a Building Maintenance employee for the Village of Hopkins Park effective May 19, 2015 until May 19, 2017, unless otherwise terminated.

Section 6. That Eugene Thomas is appointed to the position as a Building Maintenance employee for the Village of Hopkins Park effective May 5, 2016 until May 1, 2017, unless otherwise removed.

Section 7. That Kent Nichols is appointed to the office of Village Treasurer for the Village of Hopkins Park effective July 1, 2015, until May 1, 2017.

Section 8. That Lorraine Rogers is appointed to a position as the Water Clerk employee for the Village of Hopkins Park effective May 19, 2015 until May 1, 2017

Section 9. That this Resolution supersedes all ordinances and resolutions or parts thereof adopted prior hereto which are in conflict herewith to the extent to such conflict.

Section 10. That this Resolution shall be in effect immediately after its passage and approval.

Passed this <u>5th</u> day of <u>May</u>, <u>2016</u> by the corporate authority of the Village of Hopkins Park on a roll call vote as follows:

Ayes: (5) Rosemary Foster, Ruthel Teague, Lonnie Jarrett, Tonia Thomas, Louis Barnes,

Nays: (0)

Absent: (1) Jamol Robinson

	Approved by me this 5th day of May, 2016.	
		Mark Hodge, President/Mayor
ATTEST:		

Ieshia Shields, Village Clerk