

LET IT BE KNOWN, That the Cadillac Department of Natural Resources is deserving of grateful recognition of its outstanding service to the entire community for containing the Colfax Wildfire. On this occasion, it is most appropriate to offer this expression of the value we all place on the work that this department has taken on and handled so well in seeking to protect the lives and property of others.

Through the dedicated efforts, the Cadillac Department of Natural Resources has clearly put into action the highest standards of citizenship and unselfishness. This concern for others is most obvious in the often-heroic battles of fighting fires and trying to prevent the loss of life. These days, however, working as a firefighter requires even more than courage and determination. Indeed, with the changes in the equipment and the hazards of toxic materials, dedicated firefighters like those at this department must also put in plenty of extra time to learn and prepare long before an alarm is sounded.

The quality of a fire department has a significant impact on any community. Whether the department is a volunteer unit relying on neighbors or an urban department, we all rely on them for the safety of our homes, businesses, and the lives of those we love.

IN SPECIAL TRIBUTE, Therefore, This document is signed to recognize the Cadillac Department of Natural Resources for their outstanding service. May they each enjoy the health, happiness, and appreciation their efforts have earned.

Michele Hoitenga, State Representative The One Hundred and Second Instrict

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The One Hundred and First Legislature At Lansing Thursday, July 1, 2021