

OLDER AMERICANS MONTH



AGE OUT LOUD: MAY 2017

WHEREAS, the Town of Attica is home to hundreds of citizens aged 60 years or older; and

WHEREAS, the older adults in the Town of Attica are among our most “treasured resources,” united by historical experiences, strengthened by diversity, and interpreting events through varied perspectives and backgrounds to bring wisdom and insight to our community; and

WHEREAS, increasing numbers of adults are reaching retirement age and remaining strong and active for longer than ever before; and

WHEREAS, the older adults in the Town of Attica deserve recognition for the contributions they have made and will continue to make to the culture, economy and character of our community and our nation; and

WHEREAS, our community can provide that recognition and respect by improving the quality of life for older Americans by:

Increasing their opportunities to remain active and engaged in community life;

Providing individualized services and support systems to maintain the dignity, independence, and self-determination of older Americans as they age;

Combating ageist attitudes by honoring their past, present, and future contributions;

NOW THEREFORE, the Town of Attica does hereby proclaim May 2017 to be;

OLDER AMERICANS MONTH IN THE TOWN OF ATTICA

We urge every citizen to take time this month to honor our older adults and the professionals, family members and volunteers who care for many of them. Our recognition and involvement of older Americans can enrich our entire community's quality of life;

In Witness Whereof, I have set my hand and
Cause the Seal of the Town of Attica to be
Affixed this 1st day of May in the year 2017

Bryan N. Kehl, Supervisor
Town of Attica