

COUNTY OF



ALLEGHENY

RICH FITZGERALD
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Three Rivers Rowing Association (TRRA) is celebrating its 30th anniversary this year and commemorating this milestone on Thursday, August 20 at the LeMont Restaurant; and

WHEREAS, the TRRA has a mission to develop and deliver safe, sustainable programs and events that teach and promote the benefits of rowing and paddling to its diverse community; and

WHEREAS, founded in October 1984, TRRA is a membership organization offering rowing and dragon boating programs to anyone living in the Pittsburgh region; TRRA grew into one of the largest community-based rowing and paddling clubs in the country; its programs have always served people of all skill levels from a broad range of social and economic backgrounds, and participants range in age from teenagers to senior citizens; and

WHEREAS, TRRA serves as home to crews from eight high schools and three local colleges and the Three Rivers Junior Rowing Team serves 24 school districts; the organization has certainly made an impact on our local community and has educated many about the sport of rowing; and

WHEREAS, crews from each of the club's major categories have won gold medals in National Championships in recent years; in 2002, TRRA was the first rowing organization in the country to win the newly-created Club of the Year Award from USRowing, the sport's national governing body; Allegheny County is proud to be the home of TRRA and for the impact it has had on our community over the past 30 years.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Allegheny County Executive Rich Fitzgerald, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby congratulate TRRA on its 30th anniversary and wish all members, staff, and the board of directors many more successful years to come.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the County of Allegheny to be affixed this 20th day of August, 2015.

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