

A TOWN OF NATICK PROCLAMATION

*The Natick Select Board
Resolution Young Family Square*

Whereas, on February 20, 2021, the Young Family Square at the corner of Vermont Avenue and Pleasant Streets in the Town of Natick will be dedicated in honor of Francis A. Young, James J. Young and Patrick A. Young who served in the armed forces.

Whereas, Francis A. Young was born on October 4, 1902, in Placentia, Newfoundland; and

Whereas, James J. Young was born on December 6, 1943, in Natick, Massachusetts; and

Whereas, Patrick A. Young was born on December 16, 1944, Natick, Massachusetts: and

Whereas, Francis, James and Patrick lived at 26 Vermont Avenue when they enlisted in the military: and

Whereas, Francis A. Young served in the US Army with the rank of E2

Whereas, James J. Young served in the US Navy with the rank of SN E-3

Whereas, Patrick A. Young served in the United States Coast Guard with the rank of EN3:

Whereas, Francis worked for 17 years as a custodian at the East Natick School and was discharge from the Army at 41 due to his age: and

Whereas, Patrick worked and retired as a troubleshooter for Boston Edison Company: and

Whereas, Patrick was responsible for the lighting at the Natick High Sports Fields, baseball, football and soccer fields. Patrick did this on his time using his skills from his job as a troubleshooter: and

Whereas, Patrick was involved in the Natick Veterans Council and was Officer of the Day for over 30 years and also started the first Honor Guard with the Amvet's Post 79 in the late 1970's.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Natick, Massachusetts, Select Board, hereby honors the Young family at the occasion of the Dedication of the Young Family Square; and

Be it Further Resolved that a copy of this Resolution shall be transmitted forthwith by the Natick Select Board to the Young Family.

In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and caused the Seal of the Town of Natick to be affixed this 10th day February, 2021.

Jonathan H. Freedman, Chair

Karen Adelman-Foster, Vice Chair

Richard P. Jennett, Jr., Clerk

Susan G. Salamoff

Michael J. Hickey, Jr.