



HOMETOWN HERO AWARD

PRESENTED TO:

TIM TROUTMAN

This award honors individuals who have stepped forward in challenging circumstances, providing support, guidance, or intervention that has made a significant and lasting difference in another person's life.

Nominated by: Officer Jennifer Swanson

Summary of Nomination:

About a year ago, the Itasca Police Department was contacted regarding the well-being of several children in need of temporary housing and support. Because of his prior experience with the department and knowledge of local resources, Tim was identified as someone who could help. Despite the late hour, he responded immediately, reaching out to his network and coordinating solutions to ensure the children had safe, stable housing and the care they needed.

Tim's actions went beyond simply assisting the department. He demonstrated compassion, initiative, and a commitment to protecting the most vulnerable members of the community. His timely intervention gave the children security during a critical moment, providing stability and guidance when it mattered most.

Through his dedication, Tim exemplifies what it means to serve with heart and integrity. His efforts not only safeguarded the children but strengthened trust within the community, showing how proactive and caring action can make a lasting difference in lives.

On behalf of the Village, we honor Tim with the Hometown Hero Award, celebrating his compassion, courage, and the meaningful impact he has had on children and families in Itasca.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "JP", written over a white background.

Mayor Jeff Pruyn

September 7, 2025