

## CITY OF DEARBORN

## Home Town of Henry Ford

MAYOR JOHN B. "JACK" O'REILLY, JR.

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American Human Rights Council 13530 Michigan Ave # 332 Dearborn, Michigan 48126

Dear Friends:

On behalf of the residents of the City of Dearborn, it is a pleasure to welcome the American Human Rights Council as you introduce your mission, objectives, accomplishments and leadership team.

The important work of protecting and defending human rights provides considerable support and relief for some of the most vulnerable members of our nation and those in other countries around the world.

You are to be commended for your efforts to investigate and report on human rights violations, to encourage governments and societies to respect international human rights laws, to call upon the public and international communities to support human rights causes, and to raise awareness of issues large and small that restrict a person's access to freedom and due process.

By bringing together leaders from a number of civil rights, religious, and community activist groups across Michigan, the AHRC can stand as an example of partnership and cooperation in the fight to preserve the dignity and well-being of all people.

I offer my best wishes for a successful event and for your continued achievement.

Sincerely,

John B. O'Reilly, Jr.

Mayor

