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To Celebrate 40 Years of Central Ohio Crime Stoppers and Recognize Their Contributions to the Safety of the City of Columbus

WHEREAS, The Central Ohio Crime Stoppers were founded in 1977 to promote the welfare of communities throughout the country and to lessen the burdens of federal, state and local governments; and

WHEREAS, Crime Stoppers is a vital three-way link between law enforcement, news media and the general public to foster working together to solve crime; and

WHEREAS, Crime Stoppers programming includes an anonymous tip hotline, a "most wanted" program in finding fugitive felons, promoting student Crime Stoppers programs in high schools and college campuses and more; and

WHEREAS, Crime Stoppers has a 95% conviction rate on cases solved by a tip to the program, nationwide; and

WHEREAS, Forty years of partnership between the Columbus Division of Police and our neighborhoods and residents has greatly contributed to the safety of the City of Columbus; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS: That this Council does hereby recognize Central Ohio Crime Stoppers on 40 years of helping keep our communities and streets safe.