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To:

Allison and Riley Chizek;
Jan and George Winget;
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Nicholas Ditscheit;
Sam Eschmann;
Melba Wright; and
Chris Henzel,

Needless to say, this past Spring Election was like no other we've ever seen. Many communities around the state were not able to provide regular hours for in-person absentee voting. On Election Day, more than 2,400 Citizen Soldiers and Airmen from the Wisconsin National Guard were mobilized to serve as poll workers in communities where they did not have enough poll workers.

However, this was not our experience in Union Grove. Because of a small group of dedicated citizens like YOU, we had enough local poll workers that we did not need assistance from the National Guard, which means they were able to assist other communities in need. In addition, our Village was able to provide two weeks of "drive-up" absentee voting, which served over 450 voters!

The feedback we received over this period has been extremely positive. We heard many compliments from residents about the ease and efficiency of drive-up voting and how courteous the poll workers were. We heard from voters on Election Day who commented on a very orderly and painless process.

So, on behalf of the Village of Union Grove Village Board and our staff members, we would like say THANK YOU for your contributions to the community in this very challenging election period. You stepped up to serve Union Grove at a time when we needed it the most. We truly could not have done this without you!

Sincerely,

Mike Aimone
Village President

Brad Calder
Village Clerk

Michael Hawes
Village Administrator