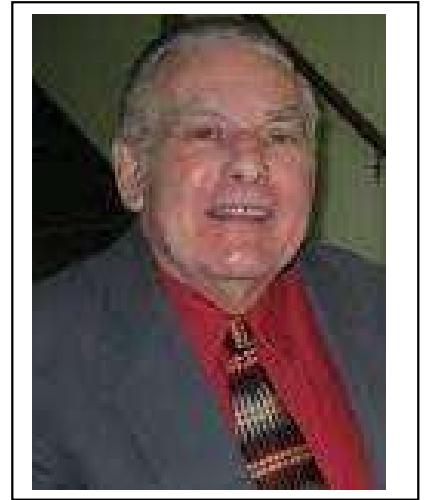


Memorial Tree Plaque in Recognition of Mayor Peter Donoghue 2019



Dear Mayor, Borough Administrator, Borough Council, and Shade Tree Members:

The Shade Tree Commission from time-to-time votes to dedicate a tree in the name of an individual to be recognized for their community service and dedication to the Borough of Atlantic Highlands. Candidates for this award can be nominated by any Atlantic Highlands' resident, business, or government employee.

This year's nomination goes to Mayor Peter Donoghue, a long-time resident of Atlantic Highlands for over 70 years. He has an outstanding history as an active member of public service and community works. The following is Peter Donoghue's Achievement List to justify this memorial tree:

I. Public Service

- a) Six years on Henry Hudson Regional Board of Education
- b) Six years on the Atlantic Highlands Borough Council
- c) Four Years as Atlantic Highlands Mayor (2004-2008)
 - i) Appointed Borough Administrator Adam Hubeny
 - ii) Approved a Fireworks Committee for Atlantic Highlands Fireman's Fair
- d) Other appointments
 - i) Borough Council President
 - ii) Harbor Commission member
- e) Henry Hudson Regional High School
 - i) School Board President
 - (1) Founder of the Board Newsletter
 - (2) Delegate to N.J. School Boards Association
 - ii) Co-founder of the Booster Club

II. Resident and Community Member

- a) Lived in Atlantic Highlands since 1948
- b) First job as an Atlantic Highlands news carrier
- c) A graduate of the original Atlantic Highlands High School, 1958
- d) Met his true love, Louise – An Atlantic Highlands Love Story
- e) Member of the Presbyterian Church of Atlantic Highlands
- f) Served as Boys Scouts of America Merit Badge Counselor since 1983

III. Our Nation's Service

- a) A veteran of the United States Army
- b) Vice Commander of C. Eugene Allen American Legion Post 141

IV. Other Recognition

- a) Asbury Park Press' Ernest W. Lass Award for Community Service
- b) National God and Service award - Programs of Religious Activities with Youth (P.R.A.Y.)



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