

In Honor of Mr. IronRain

Presented by Dr. Baskerville

100th Grand Council Meeting - November 23, 2019

This meeting marks the 100th time the Villoux Grand Council has gathered to discuss the most pressing issues of our time. As a thirteen-year-old boy when I founded Villoux, I reveled at the fact that one day this body would mark 100 times of coming together for meetings. The fact that we have reached that mark today gives me enormous pride and hope for the future. As I am always telling each you, the only reason this Grand Council has been able to meet 100 times and the only reason that this system has stood for nearly a decade is because of the way this body is structured. It is structured in a way to ensure collaboration and accountability. The Grand Council, and by extension Villoux, is only as strong as the Grand Council Members that comprise it. This Grand Council in particular is especially strong due to its membership. Amongst our ranks, we enjoy the leadership of three users who have been bestowed honor by this Council. Honor is an acknowledgement of the utmost service and dedication to our system and is reserved only for highest serving and most dedicated members of Villoux. I plan to utilize the meaningful opportunity this 100th Grand Council meeting provides by making the case that a fourth Grand Council Member amongst us also be recognized with this most prestigious thanks.

The Executive TeamSpeak Operator, Mr. IronRain joined Villoux in August 2015 and has previously served as Executive System Press Officer from November 2015 – March 2017, Executive System Press Officer again from August 2017 – November 2017, Executive Discord Operator from May 2018 – November 2018, and most recently as Executive TeamSpeak Operator since November 2018. Mr. IronRain has also served as a TeamSpeak Operator, Discord Operator, and as Deputy Chief of Staff since January 2019. Mr. IronRain has been a Villouxian for nearly half of Villoux's existence and has made himself paramount to nearly every major event the system has undergone during that time.

It would be impossible for me to highlight every accomplishment Mr. IronRain has achieved during his service to the Grand Council, but there are a few special instances I would like to note. As Executive System Press Officer, Mr. IronRain oversaw the establishment of two his sections into full departments, completely revitalized Radio Villoux, explored new horizons with advertising on social media, and commanded the System Press Officers with more direct precision and tact than had ever before been employed. With my apologies to Mr. Biko, Mr. IronRain still remains the most effective and impactful Executive System Press Officer our system has ever had.

Mr. IronRain returned to the Grand Council at my request to serve as Executive Discord Operator. Though the Executive System Art Designer, the honorable Mr. Cronus had the privilege of serving as the first Executive Discord Operator, when Villoux's Discord Server formally launched and I felt I had enough grasp on the technological components of server administration for which I was relying on Mr. Cronus, I knew Mr. IronRain was the perfect fit to help me draft the Discord Ordinance and determine its enforcement methods. Mr. IronRain proved me right as we worked on effectively translating the TeamSpeak Ordinance into the Discord Ordinance. Most recently, Mr. IronRain has been collaborating with the Executive Discord Operator, Mr. Wrench on programming the Villoux Operator Bot. The V.O.B. has transformed the way our Discord server operates and ushered in a completely new technological era for Villoux. Most poignantly, V.O.B. is the sole reason Villoux's Discord Server was safeguarded against the recent bot attacks.

He has served as an invaluable member of several courthouse boards, including the Minecraft Development Board, the Fortnite Development Board, the Bill of Ordinances Revision Board, Chief of Staff's Advisory Board, and the Discord Engagement Board. That is, of course, not even to mention the innumerable times I have called him for consultation and advice on amendments to the Bill of Ordinances, especially the Grand Council Ordinance. Perhaps more than any other Grand Council Member whom has ever served, Mr. IronRain understands the importance of his place on the Grand Council.

Though I shudder to think of a time in which I am not serving as the Villoux Chief of Staff, so long as Mr. IronRain remains the Deputy Chief of Staff, I can rest assured in knowing that Villoux would be passed to the second most capable hands and am resolved that Mr. IronRain

could gracefully, tactfully, and effectively, manage the system's election for a new Chief of Staff. I believe that any one of Mr. IronRain's major accomplishments warrant being granted honor and I seek now to correct the injustice this Council has done by not sooner granting him that most prestigious recognition. I, therefore, urge all members of this Grand Council to give us more cause to celebrate the occasion of our 100th Grand Council meeting by bestowing honor to one of the most deserving members of our system.