

## City of Chicago



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Tribute to late Honorable Milton I. Shadur

**Committee(s) Assignment:** 

## RESOLUTION

**WHEREAS,** The Honorable Milton I. Shadur has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of 93; and

**WHEREAS,** The Chicago City Council has been informed of his passing by Alderman Edward M. Burke; and

**WHEREAS,** A longtime resident of Glencoe, the Honorable Milton I. Shadur was a retired federal judge and the loving husband for 71 years of Eleanor, nee Pilka; and

**WHEREAS,** The Honorable Milton I. Shadur was the much-adored father of Robert, Beth and the late Karen, the grandfather of three and the great-grandfather of four to whom he imparted many of the fine and noble qualities that he possessed in abundance; and

**WHEREAS**, The Honorable Milton I. Shadur was nominated to become a federal judge by President Jimmy Carter in 1980; and

**WHEREAS,** The Honorable Milton I. Shadur served for 37 years on the bench where he handled numerous high-profile cases; and

**WHEREAS,** During his long and illustrious career, the Honorable Milton I. Shadur authored 11,000 district court opinions; and

**WHEREAS,** Beginning in the early 1980s, the Honorable Milton I. Shadur began monitoring a desegregation plan between the Chicago Board of Education and the Justice Department; and

**WHEREAS,** In 1995 the Honorable Milton I. Shadur sentenced Richard Bailey to 30 years in prison for fraud and racketeering for swindling missing candy heiress Helen Brach; and

**WHEREAS,** In 2002 the Honorable Milton I. Shadur issued an order requiring access to attorneys for witnesses being questioned at police stations; and

**WHEREAS,** A member of our "Greatest Generation," the Honorable Milton I. Shadur served as a radio officer in the United States Navy during World War II and survived a kamikaze attack in the Pacific; and

**WHEREAS,** The hard work, sacrifice and dedication of the Honorable Milton I. Shadur serve as an example to all; and

**WHEREAS,** The Honorable Milton I. Shadur was an individual of great integrity and accomplishment who will be dearly missed and fondly remembered by his many relatives, friends and admirers; and

**WHEREAS**, To his beloved family, the Honorable Milton I. Shadur imparts a legacy of faithfulness, service and dignity; now, therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED,** That we, the Mayor and the members of the Chicago City Council, assembled this twenty-eighth day of February, 2018, do hereby commemorate the Honorable Milton I. Shadur for his grace-filled life and do hereby express our condolences to his family; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the family of the Honorable Milton I. Shadur.

Alderman - 14th Ward