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Congratulations extended to Joseph Earl Powers

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## Resolution for Joseph Earl Powers

WHEREAS, Joseph Earl Powers, an outstanding citizen and member of his community, celebrates 105 years of living on January 30, 2012; and

WHEREAS, Joseph Earl Powers was born January 30, 1907 in Huntsville, Alabama. He and his wife, Lillian migrated to Chicago in 1933, with their daughter Mildred; and

WHEREAS, Joseph Earl Powers had a myriad of talents, he honed his construction acumen while employed by McKay Construction, notably contributing to the building of the Sears Tower tunnel; and

WHERAS, Joseph Earl Powers is a proud grandfather of three, great-grandfather of six and great-grandfather of three; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Sandi Jackson, Alderman of the 7<sup>th</sup> Ward, has apprised this august body of Joseph Earl Powers' significant milestone; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That we the Mayor and members of the City of Chicago Council, assembled on this 15<sup>th</sup> Day of February, 2012, do hereby salute Joseph Earl Powers for his life and wealth of accomplishments, as well as extend our very best wishes for a happy 105<sup>th</sup> Birthday; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the family of

Joseph Earl Powers.

Sand) Jackson

Alderman, 7<sup>th</sup> Ward

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