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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Lawrence T. “Larry” Matkaitis has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of 68; and

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

WHEREAS, Lawrence T. “Larry” Matkaitis was the loving and devoted husband for 38 years of Valerie; and

WHEREAS, Lawrence T. “Larry” Matkaitis was the much-adored father of Amber and Daniel and the grandfather of three to whom he imparted many of the fine and noble qualities that he possessed in abundance; and

WHEREAS, Lawrence T. “Larry” Matkaitis was the dear brother of Jerry, Jimmy, Nancy and Kathy; and

WHEREAS, Lawrence T. “Larry” Matkaitis was a retired Illinois State Fire Marshal and a retired member of the Chicago Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his long and illustrious career, Lawrence T. “Larry” Matkaitis upheld the finest and most noble traditions of public service; and,

WHEREAS, The hard work, sacrifice and dedication of Lawrence T. “Larry” Matkaitis serve as an example to all; and

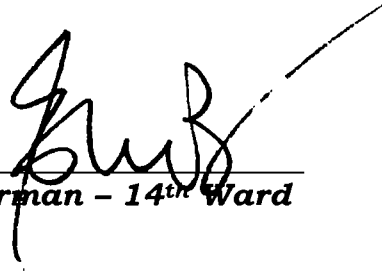
WHEREAS, His love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared Lawrence T. “Larry” Matkaitis to his family members, friends and all who knew him, and enabled him to enrich their lives in ways they will never forget; and

WHEREAS, Lawrence T. “Larry” Matkaitis will be dearly missed and fondly remembered by his many relatives, friends and admirers; and

WHEREAS, To his beloved family, Lawrence T. “Larry” Matkaitis 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 twentieth day of July, 2016, do hereby commemorate Lawrence T. “Larry” Matkaitis 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 Lawrence T. "Larry" Matkaitis.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "J. B. B.", written over a horizontal line. A long, thin diagonal stroke extends from the top right of the signature.

Alderman - 14th Ward