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Title: Congratulations extended to Mona Nasser Hersheway

Committee(s) Assignment:

Resolution

WHEREAS, on Tuesday, January 17, 2012, a celebration will take place to honor Mona Nasser Hersheway in celebration of her 100th birthday; and

WHEREAS, Mona Nasser Hersheway, the eldest of eight children was born to Elias and Angel Nasser; and

WHEREAS, while visiting an uncle in Detroit met her future husband Mitchell Hersheway; and

WHEREAS, Mona and Mitchell Hersheway, after a few months of courtship, married on December 30, 1937 in Valparaiso, Indiana; and

WHEREAS, in 1949, Mona and Mitchell opened a butcher shop at 3553 South Wallace and later closed the shop to pursue different careers; and

WHEREAS, Mona and Mitchell, in April of 1950 adopted twin girls and currently has 4 granddaughters, 1 grandson, 2 great-grandchildren and a third due in March of 2012; and

WHEREAS, Mona then went to work for Lytton's in Chicago where she met and worked with a De LaSalle student by the name of Bryant Gumbel; and

WHEREAS, since the passing of her husband Mitchell, Mona still resides in Bridgeport; and

BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the Mayor and the members of the City Council of the City of Chicago gathered here this 18th Day of January in 2012, do hereby extend to Mona Nasser Hersheway our appreciation for her 100 years of contributions to this great city and best wishes on her 100th birthday; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a suitable copy of this resolution be made available to Mona Nasser Hersheway.

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