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<b>Committee(s) Assignment:</b>	

## **RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS**, Betty L. "Pimey" Vaughan 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 her passing by Alderman Edward M. Burke; and

**WHEREAS**, Betty L. "Pimey" Vaughan was the loving wife of the late Patrick; and

**WHEREAS**, Betty L. "Pimey" Vaughan the much-adored mother of Patricia, Tim, Debbie and the late Maureen, the grandmother of two and the great-grandmother of two to whom she imparted many of the fine and noble qualities that she possessed in abundance; and

**WHEREAS**, Betty L. "Pimey" Vaughan was raised in Visitation Parish during the Great Depression and met her husband in the Back of the Yards neighborhood while he was in the Army; and

**WHEREAS**, The couple married and Patrick Vaughan worked as a stationary engineer; and

**WHEREAS**, After he passed away, Betty L. "Pimey" Vaughan raised her family by working as a waitress at the Stock Yard Inn "Where the Steak is Born," near 42<sup>nd</sup> and Halsted Streets; and

**WHEREAS**, Known for her outgoing nature and natural beauty, Betty L. "Pimey" Vaughan's career as a waitress spanned 34 years; and

**WHEREAS**, Betty L. "Pimey" Vaughan went on to work at the Inn's more exclusive eatery called the Sirloin Room and at the Summer West Beefstro near 102<sup>nd</sup> Street and Western Avenue; and

**WHEREAS**, The sacrifice and dedication of Betty L. "Pimey" Vaughan serve as an example to all; and

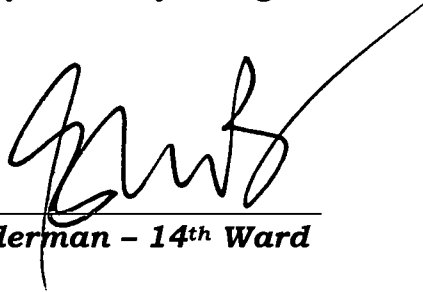
**WHEREAS**, Her love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared Betty L. "Pimey" Vaughan to her family members, friends and all who knew her, and enabled her to enrich their lives in ways they will never forget; and

**WHEREAS**, Betty L. "Pimey" Vaughan will be dearly missed and fondly remembered by her many relatives, friends and admirers; and

**WHEREAS**, To her beloved family, Betty L. "Pimey" Vaughan 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 ninth day of December, 2015 do hereby commemorate Betty L. "Pimey" Vaughan for her grace-filled life and do hereby express our condolences to her family; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Betty L. "Pimey" Vaughan.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "R. Williams", is written over a horizontal line. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping stroke extending upwards and to the right from the end of the signature.

**Alderman - 14<sup>th</sup> Ward**