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Committee(s) Assignment:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Lawrence Caine has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of eighty-one; and

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

WHEREAS, A resident of Chicago, Lawrence Caine was the loving husband of the late Gloria, nee Valentine; and

WHEREAS, Lawrence Caine was the much-adored father of Francesca to whom he imparted many of the fine and noble qualities that he possessed in abundance; and

WHEREAS, Lawrence Caine was the dear brother of Thomas; and

WHEREAS, Raised on a farm in Wisconsin, Lawrence Caine studied agricultural journalism before beginning his career in 1955 with a job in public relations at the old Chicago Stockyards; and

WHEREAS, In 1960 Lawrence Caine began reporting live from the Stockyards on cattle prices and other transactions for radio stations, including *WGN-AM*; and

WHEREAS, In 1969 Lawrence Caine was named General Manager of the International Livestock Exposition where he hosted livestock shows; and

WHEREAS, Following the closing of the Stockyards in 1971, Lawrence Caine was appointed President and General Manager of the International Amphitheater, once Chicago's premier venue for major rock concert, boat and auto shows; and

WHEREAS, From 1989 to 1991, Lawrence Caine was the General Manager of the Arie Crown Theater at McCormick Place; and

WHEREAS, Lawrence Caine later worked at the Chicago Convention and Tourism Board where he retired in 1996; and

WHEREAS, The hard work, sacrifice and dedication of Lawrence Caine serve as an example to all; and

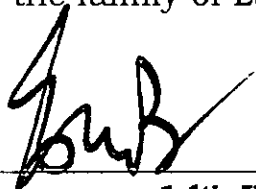
WHEREAS, His love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared Lawrence Caine to his family members, friends and all who knew him, and enabled him to enrich their lives in ways they will never forget; and

WHEREAS, Lawrence Caine will be dearly missed and fondly remembered by his many relatives, friends and admirers; and

WHEREAS, To his beloved family, Lawrence Caine 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 November, 2011, do hereby commemorate Lawrence Caine 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 Caine.



Alderman - 14th Ward