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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Honorable **Raymond J. Pietrus** has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of eighty-six; and

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

WHEREAS, The Honorable **Raymond J. Pietrus** was the loving and devoted husband of the late **Florence**; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable **Raymond J. Pietrus** was the much-adored father of **Nancy** to whom he imparted many of the fine and noble qualities which he possessed in abundance; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable **Raymond J. Pietrus** ably served as LaGrange Park's Village President from 1993 through 2001; and

WHEREAS, A Navy veteran, the Honorable **Raymond J. Pietrus** fought for his country in the South Pacific during **World War II**; and

WHEREAS, After his discharge from the military, the Honorable **Raymond J. Pietrus** worked for more than thirty years as an engineer with **GTE Corporation**; and

WHEREAS, In his retirement, the Honorable **Raymond J. Pietrus** volunteered on the village police and fire commissions and served for twelve years as a LaGrange Park Trustee before being elected President; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable **Raymond J. Pietrus** remained active within the LaGrange Park community even after his retirement from public service; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable **Raymond J. Pietrus** knew how to enjoy life, having taken sixty-three cruises over the last three decades; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Raymond J. Pietrus inspired the lives of countless people through his great personal goodness, charity and concern; and

WHEREAS, The hard work, sacrifice and dedication of the Honorable Raymond J. Pietrus serve as an example to all; and

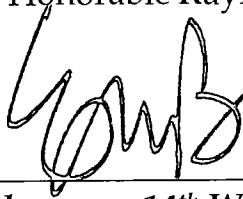
WHEREAS, His love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared the Honorable Raymond J. Pietrus to his family members, friends and all who knew him, and enabled him to enrich their lives in ways they will never forget; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Raymond J. Pietrus will be dearly missed and fondly remembered by his many relatives, friends and colleagues; and

WHEREAS, To his beloved family, the Honorable Raymond J. Pietrus 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 February, 2011, do hereby commemorate the Honorable Raymond J. Pietrus 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 the Honorable Raymond J. Pietrus.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lombardi', is written over a horizontal line.

Alderman - 14th Ward