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Burke, Edward M. (14)

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Tribute to late Honorable Robert Mitchler

Committee(s) Assignment:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Honorable Robert Mitchler has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of ninety-one; and

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

WHEREAS, A political leader for more than five decades, the Honorable Robert Mitchler was the loving and devoted husband of Helen; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Robert Mitchler was the much-adored father of John, Kurt, and Heidi and the grandfather of nine to whom he imparted many of the fine and noble qualities which he possessed in abundance; and

WHEREAS, A native of Aurora, the Honorable Robert Mitchler was a United States Navy veteran who served in both World War II and the Korean War; and

WHEREAS, First elected to office in 1964, the Honorable Robert Mitchler represented Kendall County in the Illinois State Senate for seventeen years; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Robert Mitchler also served as Vice-Chairman for the Kendall County Republican Central Committee, and was a local committeeman for more than sixty years; and

WHEREAS, An advocate for Illinois veterans, the Honorable Robert Mitchler served as legislative liaison to the Illinois Department of Veterans Affairs under former governor Jim Thompson and was active in the Navy League; and

WHEREAS, A significant member of the Kendall County Republican party, the Honorable Robert Mitchler will be remembered as a leader who worked hard to improve the communities he served; and

WHEREAS, To his beloved family, the Honorable Robert Mitchler 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 May, 2012, do hereby commemorate the Honorable Robert Mitchler 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 Robert Mitchler.

Alderman - 14th Ward