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Tribute to late Edward R. McLaughlin

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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Edward R. McLaughlin has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of 81 to his eternal reward; and

**WHEREAS**, The Chicago City Council has been informed of his passing by the Honorable Patrick D. Thompson, Alderman of the 11th Ward; and

WHEREAS, Edward R. McLaughlin, preceded in death by his parents, Charles and Doris McLaughlin and several siblings; survived by two daughters, Lisa (Edward) Vaughn, of Naperville, IL, and Julia Ferrelli, of California; two grandchildren, Nolan and Olivia Vaughn; one brother, Bernard (Mary Ellen) McLaughlin; and several friends; and

WHEREAS, Edward was a proud veteran of the U.S. Air Force, attended De La Salle High School, and proudly sang in the choir at St. Gabriel Church; Born and raised in the Canaryville neighborhood of the South Side of Chicago, he spent all of his life there except for residing in Alsip from 1970 to 1995, where he served as an Alsip Park District commissioner; and

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

**BE IT RESOLVED**, That we, the Mayor and members of the City Council of the City of Chicago gathered here this fifteenth of January 2020, do hereby express our sorrow on the death of Edward R. McLaughlin and extend to his family and friends our deepest sympathy; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Edward R. McLaughlin.

Patrick D. Thompson

Alderman, 11th Ward