

## City of Chicago



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Resolution

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Tribute to late Francis P. O'Connor

**Committee(s) Assignment:** 

## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Francis P. "Frank" O'Connor has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of 78; and

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

WHEREAS, Beloved husband of Kathleen (nee Gilchrist) for 50 years, loving father of Sheila, Maureen (Michael) Malloy, and Daniel (Jennifer) O'Connor, devoted grandfather, brother, uncle, and friend to many; and

WHEREAS, Frank was born in Chicago and was an alumnus of Mount Carmel High School where he volunteered in the school's security office; and

**WHEREAS**, Frank was an army veteran and a member of the Chicago Fire Department for 40 years and retired as a battalion chief; and

WHEREAS, As a battalion chief, Frank was in charge of roughly twenty percent of the fire department daily; and

WHEREAS, In addition to his devotion for his family and the fire department, Frank had a love for his ancestral home of Ireland and loved to cook and show off his great culinary skills; and

**WHEREAS**, To his beloved family, Frank P. O'Connor 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 Sixteenth day of December, 2020, do hereby commemorate Frank P. O'Connor 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 Frank P. O'Connor.

Edward M. Burke

Alderman, 14th Ward

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