



# City of Chicago



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## **RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS,** Eugene M. Zemsky has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of 88; and

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

**WHEREAS,** Eugene M. Zemsky was the loving husband of Delores; and

**WHEREAS,** Eugene M. Zemsky was the much-adored father of Alan, Judy and the late David, and the grandfather of three to whom he imparted many of the fine and noble qualities that he possessed in abundance; and

**WHEREAS,** Eugene M. Zemsky enjoyed a long and highly successful career as a local businessman and entrepreneur; and

**WHEREAS,** Eugene M. Zemsky was the owner and operator of Zemsky's, a friendly chain of family-owned apparel stores located throughout the Chicago area, for over sixty years; and

**WHEREAS,** Together with his wife, Delores, Eugene M. Zemsky also founded the Eugene and Delores Zemsky Charitable Foundation; and

**WHEREAS,** The hard work, sacrifice and dedication of Eugene M. Zemsky serve as an example to all; and

**WHEREAS,** His love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared Eugene M. Zemsky 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,** Eugene M. Zemsky was an individual of great integrity and accomplishment who will be dearly missed and fondly remembered by his many relatives, friends and admirers; and


**WHEREAS,** To his beloved family, Eugene M. Zemsky 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 thirteenth day of March, 2019, do hereby commemorate Eugene M. Zemsky 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 Eugene M. Zemsky.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Burke", written over a horizontal line.

Edward M. Burke  
Alderman, 14<sup>th</sup> Ward

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, likely belonging to Mayor Rahm Emanuel, written to the right of the first signature.