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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Honorable Susanna “Sue” Bell has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of seventy-two; and

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

WHEREAS, A native of Park Ridge, the Honorable Susanna “Sue” Bell was a widely admired elected official and the loving wife of William; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Susanna “Sue” Bell was the much-adored mother of Lisa, Julie, Becky, and David and the grandmother of eight to whom she imparted many of the fine and noble qualities which she possessed in abundance; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Susanna “Sue” Bell served as a Park Ridge Alderman for twelve years, during which time she made it a point to know her constituents; and

WHEREAS, Elected alderman in 1993, the Honorable Susanna “Sue” Bell also chaired the Park Ridge Public Works Committee; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Susanna “Sue” Bell played an influential role in rewriting the Park Ridge Fair Housing Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Susanna “Sue” Bell attended Northwestern University and earned a graduate degree in organizational communications from the University of Illinois at Chicago; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Susanna “Sue” Bell was a woman for others and she impacted the Park Ridge community both as a volunteer and a public servant; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Susanna “Sue” Bell inspired the lives of countless people through her great personal goodness, charity and concern; and

WHEREAS, The hard work, dedication and sacrifice of the Honorable Susanna "Sue" Bell serve as an example to all; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Susanna "Sue" Bell will be dearly missed and fondly remembered by her many relatives, friends, and colleagues; and

WHEREAS, To her beloved family, the Honorable Susanna "Sue" Bell 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 fourteenth day of December, 2011, do hereby commemorate the Honorable Susanna "Sue" Bell for her grace-filled life and do hereby express our condolences to her family; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the family of the Honorable Susanna "Sue" Bell.



Alderman - 14th Ward