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**CONGRATULATIONS EXTENDED TO POLICE OFFICER JERRY MCGHEE ON
RETIREMENT FROM THE CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT**

WHEREAS, On January 15, 2017, Police Officer Jerry McGhee will retire from the Chicago Police Department following thirty years of dedicated public service; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago City Council has been informed of this occasion by the Honorable Derrick Curtis, Alderman of the 18th Ward; and

WHEREAS, Police Officer Jerry McGhee, Star #19217, began his illustrious career with the Chicago Police Department on December 7, 1987 and will retire as a valued member of the 6th District. His presence will be sorely missed; and

WHEREAS, Dedication to and fulfillment of the motto of the Chicago Police Department – “We Serve and Protect” – exacts a substantial physical and emotional toll not only on the officers who must daily cope with the stress and danger of being life’s arbitrator for countless citizens, but also on their family members; and


WHEREAS, Throughout his long and distinguished tenure, Officer Jerry McGhee upheld the finest traditions of the law enforcement community and his hard work, commitment and dedication to duty earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and the communities he protected; and

WHEREAS, Police Officer Jerry McGhee devoted thirty years of his life in public service to the people of the City of Chicago and in doing so has personally ensured that the City of Chicago is the safe, healthy and vibrant community it is today; and

WHEREAS, The leaders of this great City of Chicago are cognizant of the great debt owed our public servants, and extend our sincerest gratitude to the long and prolific career of Police Officer Jerry McGhee; now, therefore

Be It Resolved, That we, the Mayor and members of the City Council of the City of Chicago gathered here this first day of November, 2016, do hereby express our gratitude for thirty years of work in service to the people of the City of Chicago, and express our heartiest wishes on a pleasant retirement to Jerry McGhee; and

Be It Further Resolved, That a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and presented to Jerry McGhee and his family.


DERRICK CURTIS
Alderman, 18th Ward

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