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MEMORIAL RESOLUTION HONORING ANGELA MITCHELL

WHEREAS, it is the custom of this Legislative Body to honor those distinguished individuals whose lifework and civic endeavor served to enhance the quality of life in their communities; and

WHEREAS, Angela Mitchell, was born Angela Makris, the wife of the late George Mitchell, graduate of Roosevelt University; and

WHEREAS, Angela Mitchell, was the mother of Aristidis and Maria (Bill) Tsourapas, daughter of the late Nicholas and Mary Makris, grandmother of James and Peter, and sister of Georgia, Irene and the late James Makris; and

WHEREAS, Angela Mitchell, made significant and considerable contributions to the restaurant business industry in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Ward and the City of Chicago; and

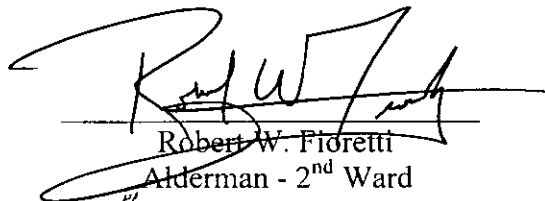
WHEREAS, Angela Mitchell, with her husband George Mitchell owned and operated Artists Café at 412 South Michigan Avenue in Chicago for over 50 years, which is a staple eatery in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Ward and several other restaurant establishments in the Chicago area; and

WHEREAS, Artists Café, is a renowned dining oasis and serves theater and museum patrons, visitors to the South Loop, students from the multiple surrounding universities and colleges, as well as local residents with exceptional food and atmosphere in the neighborhood; and

WHEREAS, Artist Café, since its opening in 1961, is located at the Fine Arts building, a designated Chicago Landmark in 1978 and has been family owned by Angela Mitchell and her family for over 50 years; and

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor, and members of the City Council of the City of Chicago, gathered here this 14<sup>th</sup> day of December in 2011, do hereby honor Angela Mitchell and, express sincere sympathy and condolences to the family of Angela Mitchell.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and presented to Maria Tsourapas.

  
Robert W. Fioretti  
Alderman - 2<sup>nd</sup> Ward