

## City of Chicago



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**Meeting Date:** 

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Tribute to late Joseph C. Scully

**Committee(s) Assignment:** 

## RESOLUTION

**WHEREAS,** Joseph C. Scully has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of 76; and

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

**WHEREAS**, Joseph C. Scully was a widely admired member of the financial community and the loving husband for 53 years of Judy; and

**WHEREAS,** Joseph C. Scully was the much-adored father of Julie, JoEllen, Elizabeth, Kirk and Katie and the grandfather of nine to whom he imparted many of the fine and noble qualities that he possessed in abundance; and

**WHEREAS**, Joseph C. Scully was the dear brother of Edward and the late Roseanne and the late Margie; and

**WHEREAS**, Joseph C. Scully and his wife lived for 30 years in Oak Park before moving to Chicago and later to Lakeside, Michigan; and

**WHEREAS,** Joseph C. Scully began his career in 1963 as an appraiser at St. Paul Federal Savings Bank after graduating from Loyola University of Chicago; and

**WHEREAS,** Joseph C. Scully rose to become President and Chief Executive Officer of the bank which expanded from a single Chicago location into a billion-dollar financial company with 60 branches; and

**WHEREAS,** Throughout his professional life, Joseph C. Scully demonstrated strong leadership skills and a keen eye for delegating responsibility to capable department heads; and

**WHEREAS**, A quiet and unassuming man, Joseph C. Scully was not afraid to take unpopular stands and was a fierce champion of fair housing; and

**WHEREAS**, Joseph C. Scully retired in 1999 when the bank was acquired by Charter One; and

**WHEREAS,** In 2010 Joseph C. Scully became a co-owner of the Vickers Theatre, a movie house in Three Oaks, Michigan that was saved from closure; and

**WHEREAS,** The hard work, sacrifice and dedication of Joseph C. Scully serve as an example to all; and

**WHEREAS,** His love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared Joseph C. Scully 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,** Joseph C. Scully 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, Joseph C. Scully 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 first day of November, 2016, do hereby commemorate Joseph C. Scully 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 Joseph C, Scully.

Alderman – 14th Ward