



# City of Chicago



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## **RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS**, Michael Nathan “Hurricane” Horowitz has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God; and

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

**WHEREAS**, Michael Nathan “Hurricane” Horowitz was a retired Chicago journalist and media executive; and

**WHEREAS**, Michael Nathan “Hurricane” Horowitz attended Peddie Prep School and the University of Pennsylvania; and

**WHEREAS**, Michael Nathan “Hurricane” Horowitz joined *ABC News* in Chicago as a reporter and producer and served his country in the Vietnam War; and

**WHEREAS**, Michael Nathan “Hurricane” Horowitz was awarded a Combat Infantry Badge, A National Defense Service Medal, an O/S Bar Vietnam Service Medal and a Vietnam Campaign Medal with Device Aircraft Crewman Badge; and

**WHEREAS**, Upon his honorable discharge from the military, Michael Nathan “Hurricane” Horowitz worked for *ABC News* as a producer and assistant Bureau Chief in Saigon; and

**WHEREAS**, Upon his return to Chicago, Michael Nathan “Hurricane” Horowitz worked again at *ABC News* before joining *CBS News*; and

**WHEREAS**, Michael “Hurricane” Horowitz later handled political campaigns and headed public relations for Playboy Clubs and Casinos; and

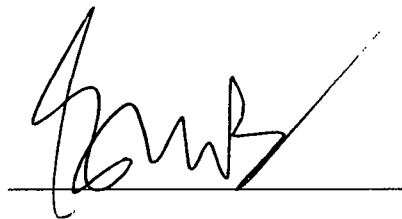
**WHEREAS**, The hard work, sacrifice and dedication of Michael Nathan “Hurricane” Horowitz serve as an example to all; and

**WHEREAS**, His love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared Michael Nathan “Hurricane” Horowitz 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**, To his five children, Jonathan, Erika, Tamara, Sam and David and his three adoring grandchildren, Michael Nathan “Hurricane” Horowitz 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 December, 2017, do hereby commemorate Michael Nathan “Hurricane” Horowitz 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 Michael Nathan “Hurricane” Horowitz.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'A. Williams', written over a horizontal line.

**Alderman - 14<sup>th</sup> Ward**