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Title:	Congratulations extended to Richard Driehaus on 75th birthday
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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Chicago business and civic leader Richard Driehaus will celebrate the joyful occasion of his 75th Birthday on July 27, 2017; and

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

WHEREAS, Richard Driehaus is the Founder, Chief Investment Officer and Chairman of Chicago-based Driehaus Capital Management LLC; and

WHEREAS, Richard Driehaus attended St. Ignatius College Prep and received his undergraduate and master's degrees in business from DePaul University; and

WHEREAS, Following graduation, Richard Driehaus gained a wealth of experience working for a number of firms, including Rothschild & Company, A.G. Becker & Company, Mullaney & Wells & Company and Jessup & Lamont before going into business for himself and becoming a leader in the investment industry; and

WHEREAS, A widely admired philanthropist, Richard Driehaus established the *Richard Driehaus Prize for Classical Architecture* in 2003 which is presented annually by the University of Notre Dame; and

WHEREAS, Richard Driehaus is a recipient of the 2015 *American Institute of Architects Lifetime Achievement Award* for his contributions to architecture in Chicago and worldwide; and

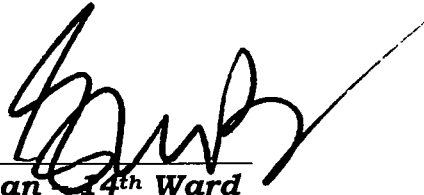
WHEREAS, A preservationist, Richard Driehaus restored the 19th century gilded mansion of banker Samuel Mayo Nickerson and in 2003 opened the Richard H. Driehaus Museum to the public as his "gift to the City"; and

WHEREAS, Richard Driehaus has donated to many other worthy causes, including Lisa Nigro's Inspiration Café in Uptown, a nonprofit that assists 3,000 people annually by providing food, housing and other services; and

WHEREAS, The hard work, generosity and dedication of Richard Driehaus serve as an example to all; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and the members of the Chicago City Council, assembled this twenty-eighth day of June, 2017, do hereby congratulate Richard Driehaus on the occasion of his 75th Birthday and do hereby express our best wishes for his continued good health, happiness and prosperity; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Richard Driehaus.

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

Alderman 14th Ward