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## City Council Document Tracking Sheet

**Meeting Date:** 3/13/2013

**Sponsor(s):** Dowell, Pat (3)

**Type:** Resolution

**Title:** Congratulations extended to Dr. Otis L. Anderson, Jr. on his 80th birthday and 38th Pastoral anniversary.

**Committee(s) Assignment:**

**A Resolution Honoring Dr. Otis L. Anderson, Jr.**

WHEREAS, Dr. Otis L. Anderson, Jr. was born on April 16, 1933 in Crossett, Arkansas; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Anderson is a committed family man who has been married to his wife, Lois Jean Samuels for almost sixty years, has three children, and six grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Anderson attended DuSable High School, The University of Illinois – Chicago, and the Chicago Baptist Institute; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Anderson's church leadership began at Greater Harvest Junior Church before he was officially ordained in 1960 at Greater Mount Olive Church; and

WHEREAS, In 1975, Dr. Anderson became the Pastor of Cathedral Missionary Baptist Church; and

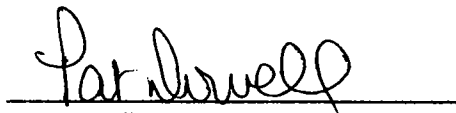
WHEREAS, In addition to Greater Harvest, Mount Olive, and Cathedral Missionary Baptist Church, Dr. Anderson has served as a minister at several churches in the Chicagoland area; and

WHEREAS, As Pastor of Cathedral Missionary Baptist Church located at 4821 S. Wabash Avenue, Dr. Anderson oversees a food giveaway every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month and distributes holiday food baskets to those in need; and

WHEREAS, In addition to his duties as Pastor, Dr. Anderson serves the public as a member of the NAACP, the Founder of the Robert Taylor Children's Church, the Pastoral Committee Chairman for the 2<sup>nd</sup> District Police, Chicago Public School's Crisis Intervention Team, and as a Board Member of the Chicago Baptist Institute; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Chicago assembled this 13<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2013 do hereby wish Dr. Otis Anderson, Jr. a happy 80<sup>th</sup> birthday and 38<sup>th</sup> Pastoral Anniversary; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED; That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Dr. Anderson and his family.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Pat Dowell", is written over a horizontal line.

Pat Dowell  
Alderman, 3<sup>rd</sup> Ward