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Meeting Date:	1/26/2022
Sponsor(s):	Austin (34)
Type:	Ordinance
Title:	Honorary street designation as "Elder Roosevelt McCarthy, Jr. Way"
Committee(s) Assignment:	Committee on Transportation and Public Way

Substitute

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO;

SECTION 1. Pursuant to an ordinance heretofore passed by the City Council which allows erection of honorary street-name signs, the Commissioner of Transportation shall take the necessary action for standardization 1300 W. 111th Street as "Elder Roosevelt McCarthy Jr. Way".

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and publication

Carrie M. Austin

CARRIE M. AUSTIN
Alderman, 34th Ward

3/3/22, 3:30 PM

Google Maps

Lamb Park

S Beverly Blvd

W 109th St

W 109th Pl

S Sangamon St

W 110th St

S Morgan St

W 110th Pl

W 111th St

S Aberdeen St

W 110th St

W 110th Pl

South Park Pediatrics

Public Storage

W 111th St

1111th Food Mart

New Morgan Park Church-God In

112th St

S Racine Ave

Clark

Beauty Supply

S Racine Ave

S Throop St

W 109th St

W 109th Pl

Hope of Glory Full Gospel

W 110th Pl

Clark

Gift 4 Kids Daycare Center

S Throop St

W 111th Pl

112th St

S Loomis St

W 110th St

W 110th Pl

Home of the Hoagy

LEGENDARY CUTS

Tea bar

S Loomis St

St

Elder McCarthy, who most affectionately refer to as "Rose". I find it extremely difficult to reference this great man in the past tense, so please forgive me if I seem to speak of him as though he still walks among us.

Furthermore, one would be equally remised to speak of him, without calling him Elder McCarthy, as he was known in most Religious Circles. In addition, to achieve the title of an Elder in The Church Of God In Christ one must be proven and approved by many witnesses, and "Rose" easily excelled in the venue. As a matter of fact, everything Mr McCarthy touches turns to gold. He had a vision for his wife and children over 50 years ago to be independent of the white man, and do for self. Rose, Laura and the children, toiled night and day to establish "Home of The Hoagy" Restaurant... and it's still stands as a Beacon of light to the Community.

Hence, any street signage with

Elder Roosevelt McCarthy's Great Name of Reference, should consider itself blessed and part of history.

Also, it should be a delightful generational story to share, just who Elder Roosevelt McCarthy was.

Respectfully Submitted,

Gwendolyn X

9 April 2021

~~McCarthy~~
Elder Roosevelt McCarthy JR
McCarthy

Date:

Office of Budget and Management
121 N. LaSalle, Room 604
Chicago, IL 60602

To Whom It May Concern:

I, Carrie M. Austin, Alderman of the 34th Ward, hereby authorize the Office of Budget Management to withdraw the funds associated with the cost of installation for this honorary street designation for Elder Roosevelt Mc Carthy Jr. from my:

- Ward's annual menu program budget
- Ward's aldermanic expense allowance

upon passage of this designation ordinance, pursuant to Section 2-8-040 of the Chicago Municipal Code.

Sincerely,

Carrie M Austin
Alderman