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Memorial Resolution for Dwain Lamar Linear

WHEREAS, Dwain Lamar Linear was called to his final resting place on March 22, 2016;
and

WHEREAS, This esteemed body has been notified of Dwain Linear's death by the
Honorable Alderman Emma Mitts of the 37th Ward; and

WHEREAS, Dwain Lamar Linear was the first born child of William Charles Linear and
Phyllis Julia Linear. He was born on August 12, 1961, in Chicago, Illinois. Two years later his
sister Debra was born; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Linear attended St. Ignatius and Holy Trinity High Schools in
Chicago. He attended the University of Illinois in Champaign and pledged Iota Phi Theta; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Linear was employed by the City of Chicago's Department of Streets &
Sanitation for 26 years. He was also a successful entrepreneur starting two businesses: pest
control and property management; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Linear was baptized at a very young age. He was an active member of
Mount Hebron Church. Dwain Linear joined the Loyal Order of Freemasons and he was a 33rd
Degree Past Worshipful Master; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Linear was a devoted family man, an outstanding father and mentor to
his three sons Dion, Dwain and Demitrius; and


WHEREAS, Mr. Linear was a leader, life-long learner and loved to travel. His caring
spirit and commitment will be warmly remembered; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Linear leaves to cherish his memory his: parents; sister; sons;
granddaughter, Dionne Tatiyana Evans; nephew, Michael Taylor Ross; and significant other,
Gloria Pittman; now, therefore,

Be It Resolved, That we, the Mayor and members of the City Council of the City of
Chicago gathered here this thirteenth day of April, 2016, do hereby express our sorrow on the
passing of Dwain Lamar Linear and extend to his family our sincere condolences; and

Be It Further Resolved, That a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and
presented to the family of Dwain Lamar Linear.

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