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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, William C. Hollemans has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of eighty-two; and

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

WHEREAS, A resident of the Streeterville neighborhood on Chicago's lakefront, William C. Hollemans was the loving husband for sixty-two years of Ruth, nee Walcott; and

WHEREAS, William C. Hollemans was the much adored father of William Walcott and the grandfather of Mario William to whom he imparted many of the fine and noble qualities that he possessed in abundance; and

WHEREAS, William C. Hollemans was born in Grand Rapids, Michigan to William and Nola and was the dear brother of the late Donald Lee, Phyllis Hanenburg and Jack Frederick; and

WHEREAS, William C. Hollemans earned a degree from Worsham College of Mortuary Science; and

WHEREAS, William C. Hollemans served his country as a member of the United States Army during the Korean War and was stationed in Germany; and

WHEREAS, Following his honorable discharge from military service, William C. Hollemans settled with his wife in Chicago where he served as a Funeral Director and Embalmer for more than forty years; and

WHEREAS, During his career, William C. Hollemans provided dignity and comfort to families in their bereavement and ably served for twenty-one years at Lain & Son and nineteen years at Drake & Son funeral homes; and

WHEREAS, The hard work, compassion and dedication of William C. Hollemans serve as an example to all; and

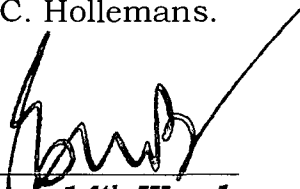
WHEREAS, His love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared William C. Hollemans to his family members, friends and all who knew him, and enabled him to enrich their lives in ways they will never forget; and

WHEREAS, William C. Hollemans was an individual of great integrity and accomplishment who will be dearly missed and fondly remembered by his many relatives, friends and admirers; and

WHEREAS, To his beloved family, William C. Hollemans 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 April, 2011, do hereby commemorate William C. Hollemans 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 William C. Hollemans.

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

Alderman - 14th Ward