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Title: Tribute to late Thomas J. Ward, Sr.
Committee(s) Assignment:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Ward, Sr., has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God; and

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

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Ward, Sr., was a retired Chicago Police Department Sergeant and the loving husband for more than fifty years of Sally, nee Fitzgerald; and

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Ward, Sr., was the much-adored father of Maureen, Thomas J. Jr., Elizabeth, Michael and John and the grandfather of eleven to whom he imparted many of the fine and noble qualities that he possessed in abundance; and

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Ward, Sr., was the dear brother of James, Bernard, Jack, Neil and Susan; and

WHEREAS, Following his distinguished tenure in law enforcement, Thomas J. Ward, Sr., enjoyed a highly successful career at the Chicago Board of Trade; and

WHEREAS, The hard work, sacrifice and dedication of Thomas J. Ward, Sr., serve as an example to all; and

WHEREAS, His love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared Thomas J. Ward, Sr., 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, Thomas J. Ward, Sr., 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, Thomas J. Ward, Sr., 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 fifth day of February, 2014, do hereby commemorate Thomas J. Ward, Sr., 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 Thomas J. Ward, Sr.



[Handwritten signature of an Alderman]

Alderman - 14th Ward

Alderman - 39th Ward