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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Honorable Kevin Hagan White 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, The Honorable Kevin Hagan White was the loving and devoted husband for fifty-five years of Kathryn; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Kevin Hagan White was the much-adored father of Christopher, Mark, Caitlin, Elizabeth and Patricia and the grandfather of ten to whom he imparted many of the fine and noble qualities that he possessed in abundance; and

WHEREAS, A celebrated civil rights advocate and a visionary leader, the Honorable Kevin Hagan White served as Mayor of the City of Boston from 1968 to 1984; and

WHEREAS, In his role as the 51st Mayor of Boston, the Honorable Kevin Hagan White was credited with revitalizing the City's waterfront and downtown and financial districts as well as transforming the Quincy Market into a popular tourist destination; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Kevin Hagan White hailed from a politically influential family and previously served as Massachusetts Secretary of the Commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, After leaving public service, the Honorable Kevin Hagan White became a professor at Boston University; and

WHEREAS, The hard work, sacrifice and dedication of the Honorable Kevin Hagan White serve as an example to all; and

WHEREAS, His love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared the Honorable Kevin Hagan White 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, To his beloved family, the Honorable Kevin Hagan White 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 fifteenth day of February, 2012, do hereby commemorate the Honorable Kevin Hagan White 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 the Honorable Kevin Hagan White.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gowb", written over a horizontal line.

Alderman – 14th Ward