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Committee(s) Assignment:

WHEREAS, On Thursday, October 6, 2011, the Almighty God, in his infinite wisdom called to his eternal paradise, Horace McCann; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago City Council has been informed of this by 18th Ward Alderman Lona Lane; and

WHEREAS, Horace was born January 2, 1928 in Chicago, Illinois, to the union of Henry Slater McCann and Obelia Locke he was one of eleven children born to this union; and

WHEREAS, Horace had the pleasure of marrying his sweetheart Obelia Locke. This union was blessed with two beautiful children a son Walter Henry and a daughter Franchette; and

WHEREAS, Horace received his high school diploma in California and afterward was inducted in the United States Army on November 2, 1950 where he served for seven years and was honorably discharged on July 10, 1957; and

WHEREAS, Once he returned to the states, he worked for the American Can Company for several years and retired in Mobile, Alabama where he spent a great deal of his life with his siblings. Horace was an avid fisherman who loved to fish and cook; and

WHEREAS, Later in life, Horace came to live in Chicago, Illinois with his son, Walter and daughter-in-law Charlotte; and

WHEREAS, Horace was preceded in death by his parents Henry Slater McCann and Obelia Locke; four siblings, Flora, Marvin, Hiram, and Annie; he leaves behind to cherish his loving memory, his son, Walter (Charlotte) McCann; one daughter, Franchette; three grand-children, Doris Eleanor McCann, Charlotte Franchette McCann, and Stefahn Daniel Jasper; two great-grandchildren, Cameryn Tyler McCann, Stefahn Daniel Jasper; and a host of family and friends; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and members of the City Council of the City of Chicago, gathered here in assembly this second day of November 2011 A.D do hereby express our sorrow on the passing of Horace McCann and extend to his family and friends our deepest sympathy; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and presented to Horace McCann's family.



Lona Lane
18th Ward Alderman

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