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## City Council Document Tracking Sheet

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**Sponsor(s):** Burke, Edward M. (14)

**Type:** Resolution

**Title:** Congratulations extended to Firefighter Robert Smith on retirement from Chicago Fire Department

**Committee(s) Assignment:**

## ***RESOLUTION***

***WHEREAS***, Robert Smith has officially retired as a member of the Chicago Fire Department following more than three decades of distinguished service; and

***WHEREAS***, The Chicago City Council has been informed of this event by Alderman Edward M. Burke; and

***WHEREAS***, Robert Smith began his illustrious tenure with the City of Chicago as a Firefighter on March 1, 1980; and

***WHEREAS***, Robert Smith's first assignment was a two-year stint on the CFD Marine Unit; and

***WHEREAS***, Robert Smith served for the next seventeen years at Tower Ladder 10, Engine 38 & Engine 116, respectively; and

***WHEREAS***, On July 26, 1999, Firefighter Robert Smith was assigned to Squad 5 where he was involved in special operations for the fire department; and

***WHEREAS***, Firefighter Robert Smith retired at the end of 2012 after serving the citizens of Chicago for thirty-two years; and

***WHEREAS***, Firefighter Robert Smith received numerous Unit Citation Awards during his years in service; and

***WHEREAS***, The hard work, sacrifice and dedication of Firefighter Robert Smith serve as an example to all; now, therefore

***BE IT RESOLVED***, That we, the Mayor and the members of the Chicago City Council, assembled this tenth day of April, 2013, do hereby express our sincere appreciation to Firefighter Robert Smith for his dedicated service on behalf of the people of the City of Chicago; and

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED***, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Firefighter Robert Smith.



***Alderman – 14<sup>th</sup> Ward***