



Mayor Harold Washington; and

WHEREAS, Morris Ellis Sr. worked in Chicago's Juvenile Court for twelve years and helped young residents of the Chicago Housing Authority produce local music shows; and

WHEREAS, The talent, sacrifice and dedication of Morris Ellis Sr. serve as an example to all; and

WHEREAS, His love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared Morris Ellis 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, To his beloved family, Morris Ellis 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 eleventh day of October, 2017, do hereby commemorate Morris Ellis 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 Morris Ellis Sr.

*Alderman - 14<sup>th</sup> Ward*