

been featured in many international travel guides, including several mentions in the Michelin Guide throughout the years as a "must visit" and earning the Bib Gourmand designation; and

WHEREAS, The iconic interior of Twin Anchors has caught the attention of Hollywood, featuring in two films: the 1999 film, Return to Me, directed by longtime friend and customer Bonnie Hunt, exposed many new patrons to the charm of this small corner restaurant; and the 2008 film, The Dark Knight, which featured a scene in the tavern in which Harvey Dent, a.k.a. Two Face, has a conversation that ends badly for a corrupt detective; the latter even left an imprint on the bar itself - literally - as the actor Aaron Eckhart left dents in the bar from repeatedly slamming a shot glass down as part of filming; and

WHEREAS, In addition to the silver screen, Twin Anchors has attracted interest from the small screen as well, hosting Conan O'Brien on several occasions, and being named to one of his 10 "Must Haves" lists in Entertainment Weekly; and

WHEREAS, As only the third family to own Twin Anchors, the Tuzi family has been involved with the restaurant for over 44 years, with the siblings Gina Manrique, Mary Kay Tuzi, and Paul Tuzi keeping the tradition alive; as Paul states, "We aren't just running a restaurant. Every night, we are throwing a party for 300 people in a living museum!"; and

WHEREAS, Twin Anchors has been an integral part of the Old Town community for generations; but remember, whether it is your first time, or you have been there too many times to count, Positively No Dancing! ®; now, therefore:

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and members of the City Council of the City of Chicago, gathered here this twenty-sixth day of October, 2022, do hereby congratulate Twin Anchors on its 90th anniversary and extend our best wishes for their continued success; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and presented to the Tuzi family.

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BRIAN HOPKINS Alderman, 2nd
Ward