



# Office of the City Clerk

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## Legislation Text

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### **RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, Chief Kenton Rainey has served in law enforcement for forty-two (42) years, and served four (4) years with the University of Chicago Police Department; and

WHEREAS, Chief Kenton Rainey achieved dual accreditation through the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA) and the International Association of Campus Law Enforcement Administrators (IACLEA); and

WHEREAS, Chief Kenton Rainey worked to adopt many of the recommendations of President Barack Obama's Task Force on 21<sup>st</sup> Century Policing; and

WHEREAS, Chief Kenton Rainey was in charge of the University Police Department -one of the few in the country that established a League Chapter with the goal of improving relationships with police and local community youth groups; and

WHEREAS, Chief Kenton Rainey is responsible for the Implementation of Center of Police Psychological Services (COPPS) and the Policing Structure (PSA); and

WHEREAS, Chief Kenton Rainey experienced the lowest reported rate of robberies in the last forty (40) years within the University of Chicago Police Department patrol area; and

WHEREAS, Chief Kenton Rainey established Crisis Intervention Training (CIT) and the Monthly Bias Sync Training for all personnel; and

WHEREAS, Chief Kenton Rainey established the Integrating Communications Assessment and Tactics (ICAT) for all sworn personnel; and

WHEREAS, Chief Kenton Rainey was responsible for less than lethal force options, Taser and bean bag shotguns; and

WHEREAS, Chief Kenton Rainey established the Threat Assessment Office position; and

WHEREAS, Chief Kenton Rainey increased internal communication through weekly distribution of Command Staff minutes; and

WHEREAS, Chief Kenton Rainey was responsible for the implementation of an Honor Guard Unit.

### **NOW THEREFORE:**

BE IT RESOLVED that we, the Mayor and Members of the City Council of the City of Chicago, assembled this J<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2021, do hereby honor the community service of CHIEF KENTON RAINEY, and extend our congratulations on his Retirement, and

*BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that suitable copies of this Resolution be presented to CHIEF KENTON RAINEY as a sign of our good wishes*

Alderman Leslie A. Hairston, 5<sup>^</sup> Ward

By: