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## Legislation Text

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### **CONGRATULATING MB FINANCIAL BANK ON ITS CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY**

WHEREAS, MB Financial Bank has deep roots in Chicago banking history beginning in 1911 with the founding of Mid-City National Bank. In 1934, Manufacturers Bank was founded and, after 67 successful years, these two community-focused banking institutions merged in 2001 to create MB Financial Bank; and  
WHEREAS, For a century, MB Financial Bank has remained true to its traditional qualities of experience, strength and stability. It has played a significant role in the economic development of Northern Illinois; and  
WHEREAS, 1,700 employees of MB Financial Bank staff more than 90 banking centers throughout the city, as well as an expansive network of ATMs; and

WHEREAS, MB Financial is a proud member of the community and committed to serving the financial needs of its residents as well as businesses by having employees with a hometown understanding; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable John A. Pope, Alderman of the 10 Ward, has apprised this august body of this great financial institution's century of service; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and the City Council of Chicago, assembled on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of May 2010 A.D., do hereby congratulate MB Financial Bank on the occasion of its 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and extend our best wishes for its continuing success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be present to MB Financial Bank.