

Resolution Number 274
St. Louis Skills On Wheels

WHEREAS, we are delighted to pause in our deliberations to recognize St. Louis Skills On Roller Skating Group on the occasion of their 20th Annual Super Skating Extravaganza; and

WHEREAS, the St. Louis Skills On Wheels Organization was founded in November 1994, by Donna Hudson, Lillie McMurray, Tina Brown, Jake Goss, Alvin Cubb, Carolyn Spencer, Richard revels, Henry Perkins, Paulette Crowley, Joe Goss, Rodney Davis, Theresa Foster, Earl Williams, Cynthia Walton, Jesse Wade, and Joann Lyles. They hosted their first national skating event at Saints Roller Rink in 1996; and

WHEREAS, the Club has been inducted into the Adrenalin Awards Royal Court as pioneers in the “Style Skate” community for their work; as the second oldest National African-American roller skating group with the oldest rolling skating event in the United States; and

WHEREAS, we also pause to recognize President Donna Hudson, as well as current members for twenty years of relentless “servant leadership” and unwavering vision to the international, national, regional, and local St. Louis area roller skating community; and

WHEREAS, St. Louis Skills On Wheels are recognized as “bridge-builders” to the next skating generation by assisting individuals, coaching, and empowering them to start their own skate club and skating events, not just locally, but nationally; and

WHEREAS, we recognize St. Louis Skills On Wheels as “trailblazers” by providing a national platform while maintaining a standard of excellence for skaters to develop and witness artistry on wheels; and

WHEREAS, we proudly honor “The Original Members” and all past and current members for serving this organization with commitment, integrity, and duty.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to extend our sincere congratulations, best wishes to St. Louis Skills On Wheels and continued success for many, many years to come. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 20th day of April, 2015 by:

Honorable Marlene E. Davis, Alderwoman 19th Ward
Honorable Lewis E. Reed, President of the Board of Aldermen

Adopted this the 20th day of April, 2015 as attested by:

David W. Sweeney
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen