

Resolution Number 23
PRESTON ROBERT BOSLEY

WHEREAS, Preston Robert Bosley is the fifth oldest child and the first son born to Preston and Alma Bosley; and

WHEREAS, he is 84 years old and still going strong; and

WHEREAS, Preston graduated from Sumner High School in January, 1947. He attended Stowe Teachers College for 2 years and then attended Washington Technical High School for machine shop to learn a trade while waiting on his admission, in 1952, to Bradley University in Peoria, Illinois; and

WHEREAS, while attending Bradley, Preston became a member of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. where he remains a faithful and active member of the fraternity to this day; and

WHEREAS, Preston graduated from Bradley in 1953 with a B.S. Degree in Industrial Education; and

WHEREAS, from 1953-1955 Preston proudly served in the United States Army; and

WHEREAS, during his time in the Army Preston managed to marry his sweetheart, Janet Robinson and this year they celebrated 61 years of marriage. He is the proud father of 2 children: Preston Errol (deceased) and Cynthia. Preston is the very happy grandfather of four: Brendon, Justin, Jaquelle and Jalen; and

WHEREAS, Preston retired from the Federal Government in 1994 and continues to be very busy sharing his baritone voice in several choirs including The In Unison Chorus of Powell Symphony Hall.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to congratulate Preston Robert Bosley on the occasion of his Birthday and we wish him continued peace, good health and happiness and 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 be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 21st day of May, 2015 by:

Honorable Freeman Bosley, Sr., Alderman 3rd Ward

Adopted this the 21st day of May, 2015 as attested by:

David W. Sweeney
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen