

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 18**  
**Charles "Rick" Meeks**

**WHEREAS**, we have been apprised of the untimely passing of Charles "Rick" Meeks; and

**WHEREAS**, Charles "Rick" Meeks, passed away Saturday, May 16, 2015, at his home surrounded by his family and friends after a courageous battle with ALS; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Meeks graduated from Cedarville University with B. A. in History and spent most of his professional career as a CPA and Software Consultant; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Meeks was a strong supporter and professional volunteer to Mathew Dickey's Boys and Girls Club. As an Advocate for ALS, he spent many hours as a volunteer for fund raising and awareness; and

**WHEREAS**, he was the beloved son of Charles E. and Ruth, nee McClain, Meeks; loving father of Charles Tyler (Whitney) Meeks and Lauren Meeks; dearest brother of Vicki (Mark) Murphy; grandson of the late Eldon and the late Mabel McClain; the late Willie and the late Mary Meeks Christian; dear uncle of Jessica Kuehnel, Lindsey Kuehnel and Nicole Murphy; former spouse of Sara Velpel; he was loved by many other relatives and friends.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause to remember the many contributions of Charles "Rick" Meeks to the citizens of the City of St. Louis and we join with his many friends in expressing our sorrow at his passing, 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 memorial copy for presentation to the Meeks family, at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

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

**Honorable Marlene E. Davis, Alderman 19th Ward**

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

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David W. Sweeney  
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

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Lewis E. Reed  
President, Board of Aldermen