

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 192**

**Bruce F. Fleming**

**WHEREAS**, Bruce F. Fleming, Chief Hospitality Officer for Big Brothers Big Sisters of Eastern Missouri enthusiastically works towards the mission to build trusting and enduring relationships that encourage and support young people and has provided 15 years of outstanding service to the organization; and

**WHEREAS**, Bruce F. Fleming was recently inducted into the Henning's Circle Hall of Fame for his length of employment and commitment to Big Brothers Big Sisters of Eastern Missouri. He started his career as the Development Associate, then served as the Director of Special Events and is currently the Agency's Chief Hospitality Officer where he represents the face of BBBSEMO with warmth and enthusiasm. ; and

**WHEREAS**, He always goes the extra mile to offer exceptional customer service and truly represents the brand. Bruce was also among the first of BBBSEMO employees to become a Big; and

**WHEREAS**, Bruce F. Fleming has personally recruited over 50 teams and has raised over \$30,000 for Bowl for Kids Sake. He has emceed over 32 bowling events and has always served as Big Brothers Big Sisters of Eastern Missouri's staff co-chair and captain. Bruce is instrumental in guiding a committee that helps organize BFKS events and spreads BFKS goodwill to the St. Louis community; and

**WHEREAS**, in an effort to continue to give back to the community, Bruce F. Fleming has served as the United Way, Employee Campaign Coordinator at Big Brothers Big Sisters for 12 years. He began as an agency speaker in 1998 and still actively presents in the St. Louis community about the need for the United Way; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of St. Louis is pleased and honored to recognize Bruce F. Fleming for his dedication to the children of our community and extends best wishes to him for continued success, good health and happiness as he continues his service.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize Bruce F. Fleming and for his dedication to the children of our community and extends best wishes to him for continued success, good health and happiness as he continues his service 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 honorees at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 30th day of August, 2011 by:

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

Honorable Lewis E. Reed, President of the Board of Aldermen

Honorable Jeffrey L. Boyd, Alderman 22<sup>nd</sup> Ward

Honorable Joseph Vaccaro, Alderman 23<sup>rd</sup> Ward

Adopted this the 30th day of August, 2011 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