

Resolution Number 214
Hamilton Heights Activities for Mature Adults (HHAMA)

WHEREAS, we have been apprised that on Thursday, September 29, 2011, the members of Hamilton Heights Activities for Mature Adults (HHAMA) will be recognized by the residents of the Twenty-Second Ward with the presentation of the Good Neighbor Award; and

WHEREAS, HHAMA was founded April 11, 2007; as a means for neighboring citizens to come together and socialize monthly. All members that are vested have resided in the community over several decades; and

WHEREAS, HHAMA has been instrumental in helping seniors to becoming more community minded, health conscious, and socially active with its monthly meetings. Each meeting offers thought provoking topics, comfort, and spiritual support; and

WHEREAS, HHAMA's members provide immeasurable hours of community service to 22nd Ward activities such as the Annual 22nd Ward Family Reunion Picnic, Annual 22nd Ward Holiday Celebration, Monthly Senior Food Program, and make phone calls regarding community meetings; and

WHEREAS, HHAMA has grown to 35 members and welcomes anyone over the age of 55 years old. Its membership consists of the following: Etta Brown, Dorothy Butcher, Anna Mae Carter, Bernice Carter, Edna Criner, Mary Cunningham, Ora Daniel, Jane Davis, Jean Gardner, Armenta Gilliard, Sharon Goodwin, LaVette Griffin, Mildred Griffin, Lena Gunn, Gladys Hanks, Barbara Henderson, Carolyn Holliday, Theresa Jackson, Dorothy Johnson, Marjorie Jones, Carolyn Latimore, Jerry McDonald, Zelra McNeal, Gloddis Miller, Rosie Neal, Millie Nelson, Marcella Page, Pauline Peebles, Darby Robinson, Rose Ross, Beatrice Sleet, Shirley Tolliver, Joanie Ward, Mary Ward, and Shirley White; and

WHEREAS, the HHAMA group are exceptional members of this community and we greatly appreciate their commitment to our neighborhood and to the entire City of St. Louis.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis, that we pause in our deliberations to recognize and congratulate the members of Hamilton Heights Activities for Mature Adults (HHAMA) and we thank them for their continuing efforts to improve the quality of life for the residents of this City 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 for presentation to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 29th day of September, 2011 by:

Honorable Jeffrey L. Boyd, Alderman 22nd Ward

Adopted this the 30th day of September, 2011 as attested by:

David W. Sweeney
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen