

RESOLUTION NUMBER 293

Patrick H., Kellett

WHEREAS, Patrick H., Kellett is being honored as the Building & Construction Trades Council Labor Man of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Patrick H. Kellett began his career as a Pipefitter in 1981, completing his apprenticeship with Murphy Company in 1985, continuing to work in the field as a Journeyman, Foreman and General Foreman; and

WHEREAS, in 2000, Pat was appointed Business Representative by Business Manager/Secretary-Treasurer James O'Mara; and

WHEREAS, over the past decade Pat has served Local Union 562 as an Officer on the Finance Committee and Assistant Business Manager prior to becoming Business Manager/Secretary-Treasurer on September 1, 2007; and

WHEREAS, currently he holds the position of International/Director of Business Development for the United Association of Journeymen and Apprentices of the Plumbing and Pipe Fitting Industry; and

WHEREAS, Pat has served as a member and trustee of the Executive Board for the St. Louis Building and Construction Trades Council, Vice-President on the Executive Board of the St. Louis Labor Council, member of the St. Louis Maritime Port Council, Board member of PRIDE, as well as Co-Chairman for the Gateway Leadership Foundation. He served as a member on the Mainline Pipeline Negotiating Committee and Joint Labor Management UA/MSCA for the United Association. He also is a member a numerous labor clubs; and

WHEREAS, Pat has worked on many union functions that have benefited the retirees, members, families and entire community such as the "Heats On" program, Fishin Fitters" tournaments, the "Rebuilding Together" days, Local 562 Blood Banks, Health Fairs, Labor Day Parades; and :

WHEREAS, Pat has served on the Board of Directors for the United Way of Greater St. Louis and St. Louis Regional Chamber and Growth Association; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen for the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize the many contributions of Patrick H. Kellett and direct the Clerk of this Board to prepare a commemorative copy of this resolution to the end it may be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the sponsor.

Introduced on the 20th day of January, 2012 by:

Honorable Lewis E. Reed, President St. Louis City Board of Aldermen
Honorable Joseph Vaccaro, Alderman 23rd Ward

Adopted this the 20th day of January, 2012 as attested by:

David W. Sweeney
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen