

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 353**  
**Patrice Dionne Thimes**

**WHEREAS**, we pause in our deliberations to note the untimely passing of St. Louis resident, Patrice Dionne Thimes; and

**WHEREAS**, Patrice Dionne Thimes was given life on March 20, 1971 to Louie Edward, and the late Mildred Louise Thimes. Patrice was the youngest of seven children; and

**WHEREAS**, Patrice attended Lafayette High School; and

**WHEREAS**, for 15 years Patrice worked in the hotel industry, with the Marriott-Airport being her last place of employment. Patrice was a kind and gentle spirit. She was the "glue" to her siblings, she was the laughter to her "Circle of Sisters," she was a fun, and "kept it real" mother and parent, she was a dedicated and committed daughter, a nurturer and friend soul mate. She was an angel; and

**WHEREAS**, she will always be remembered for her favorite expression, "Gurrll."; and

**WHEREAS**, she leaves to continue to celebrate her life, 2 beautiful daughters: Marissa Wadlington and Madison Thimes; Bell; her fiancé, Gregory Bell; her father, Radio Legend, Lou "Fatha" Thimes; 3 sisters: Deborah, Denise and Kelle Thimes; 2 brothers: Edrick Thimes and Lou "The Real J.R." Thimes Jr. (Sheila); her brother, Reginald Thimes (preceded her in death); 1 great aunt, Pat Hamb; 1 great uncle, Adele Bates; 2 nieces: Miranda Thimes and Simone Muhammad; and 9 nephews: Brincel, Steven, Todd, Jeremy, Nathaniel, Tory, Reginald, Edrick Jr. and Jabil; and

**WHEREAS**, she will also be remembered by her great nephews and great nieces; 2 special moms: Fitra Muhammad & Estelle Herrald; a host of cousins, which include the matriarch of their family, Elizabeth Tipton; Mae Ruth Henning and Winston and Marie Bates; her Sister Circle: Tiffany, Jelesia, Adrianne, Jade, Kesha, Christy and Big Sexy; and a wealth of 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 Patrice Dionne Thimes to the citizens of the City of St. Louis and we join with her many friends in expressing our sorrow at her 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 Thimes family, at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2011 by:

**Honorable April Ford-Griffin, Alderwoman 5th Ward**

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

Honorable Charles Quincy Troupe, Alderman 1<sup>st</sup> Ward

Honorable Dionne Flowers, Alderwoman 2<sup>nd</sup> Ward

Honorable Freeman Bosley, Sr., Alderman 3<sup>rd</sup> Ward

Honorable Samuel L. Moore, Alderman 4<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Kacie Starr Triplett, Alderwoman 6<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Phyllis Young, Alderwoman 7<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Stephen J. Conway, Alderman 8<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Kenneth A. Ortmann, Alderman 9<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Joseph Vollmer, Alderman 10<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Matthew Villa, Alderman 11<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Fred Heitert, Alderman 12<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Alfred Wessels, Jr., Alderman 13<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Carol Howard, Alderwoman 14<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Jennifer Florida, Alderwoman 15<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Donna Baringer, Alderwoman 16<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Joseph Roddy, Alderman 17<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Terry Kennedy, Alderman 18<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Marlene E. Davis, Alderwoman 19<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Craig Schmid, Alderman 20<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Antonio D. French, Alderman 21<sup>st</sup> Ward

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

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

Honorable William Waterhouse, Alderman 24<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Shane Cohn, Alderman 25<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Frank Williamson, Alderman 26<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Gregory J. Carter, Alderman 27<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Lyda Krewson, Alderwoman 28<sup>th</sup> Ward

Adopted this the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March, 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