

*RESOLUTION NUMBER 41*

*WHEREAS*, on Sunday, June 4, 2006, the Hill 2000, Inc. neighborhood organization will once again recognize prominent members of the Hill community during the Hill Walk of Fame ceremony; and

*WHEREAS*, the Hill Walk of Fame is dedicated to individuals who were born and raised in the historic Hill Neighborhood and who have made significant contributions to our community; and

*WHEREAS*, one of this year's honorees is Mickey Garagiola who lived at 5446 Elizabeth from 1929-1945; and

*WHEREAS*, Mickey was not only a well respected waiter at Ruggeri's Restaurant but also an exceptionally popular ring announcer for "Wrestling at the Chase" from 1969 until the program ended in 1983; and

*WHEREAS*, Mickey is an outstanding member of the St. Louis community whose many contributions to the Hill Neighborhood are greatly appreciated;

*NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED* by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis, that we pause in our deliberations to join with the Hill 2000, Inc. organization in recognizing and honoring Mickey Garagiola 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 2nd day of June, 2006 by:

**Honorable Joseph Vollmer, Alderman 10th Ward**

Adopted this the 2nd day of June, 2006 as attested:

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Patrick J. Connaghan  
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

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James F. Shrewsbury  
President, Board of Aldermen