

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 78**  
**Police Officer Police Officer Mark Ledbetter DSN 8854**

**WHEREAS**, we have been apprised that Police Officer Mark Ledbetter DSN 8854 has been honored as Officer of the Month in District Eight, Area Three of the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department; and

**WHEREAS**, during the month of April 2010, Probationary Officers Michael Schinner and Mark Ledbetter had a total of 13 arrests between the two of them; and

**WHEREAS**, one arrest in particular was a call for an “Alarm Sounding” from a residence. Shortly after the assignment was dispatched, it was upgraded to “Burglars in the building” and a description was given of the suspects. As the officers were approaching the assignment, they encountered the suspects which led to foot pursuits where-in both suspects were apprehended. Evidence from the burglary was recovered near the scene of the residence; and

**WHEREAS**, the officers conducted a thorough investigation and during an interview of the suspects, a written confession was subsequently obtained; and

**WHEREAS**, as a result of these officers actions and team work in this case, four felony and one misdemeanor warrants were issued against these suspects by the Circuit Attorney’s Office.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize Police Officer Mark Ledbetter DSN 8854 and we wish him continued success, achievement and accomplishment 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 honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 21st day of May, 2010 by:

**Honorable Samuel L. Moore, Alderman 4th Ward**

Adopted this 21st day of May, 2010 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