

*RESOLUTION NUMBER 81*

*WHEREAS*, on Saturday, July 22, 2006, at the Downtown Hilton Hotel the St. Louis Sentinel will host its Annual Salute to African-American Students; and

*WHEREAS*, the mission of the Salute to African-American Students is to recognize outstanding local high school students and to promote quality education for all in the African-American community; and

*WHEREAS*, the guest speaker for this year's ceremony is Carolyn R. Mahoney, Ph.D., who has served as President of Lincoln University since February 1, 2005; and

*WHEREAS*, Dr. Mahoney received her Ph.D. in mathematics from Ohio State University in 1983 and has served on various advisory boards and consulting teams focused on mathematics and science education in more than twenty-one states and five foreign countries; and

*WHEREAS*, prior to becoming the eighteenth president of Lincoln University, Dr. Mahoney served as Dean of the School of Mathematics, Science and Technology and vice chancellor for academic affairs at Elizabeth City State University in North Carolina and visiting scholar at the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching in Menlo Park, California;

*NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED* by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize Dr. Carolyn R. Mahoney and to thank her for her service and commitment to academic excellence and we 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 July, 2006 by:

**Honorable Michael McMillan, Alderman 19th Ward**

Adopted this the 21st day of July, 2006 as attested by:

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Patrick J Connaghan  
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

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James F. Shrewsbury  
President Board of Aldermen