

RESOLUTION NUMBER 87

Margo Anderson

WHEREAS, we pause in our deliberations to note the untimely passing of lifelong St. Louis resident, Margo Anderson; and

WHEREAS, Margo Anderson was born February 11, 1943 in St. Louis to James Williams and Thelma Chandler; and

WHEREAS, Margo was preceded in her journey to heaven by her mother, Thelma Chandler, brother, Ernest Chandler and son, George (Butch) Anderson; and

WHEREAS, Margo professed her love to George Anderson early in their lives leading to Holy Matrimony. During this union they raised twelve children. Margo was a loving and devoted wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, daughter and sister. Being the matriarch of her large family, she was the glue that held them together; and

WHEREAS, Margo was a loving and caring woman who lived life to the fullest. She enjoyed traveling and visited many places. She loved to create a variety of beautiful things objects including ceramics, clothing and jewelry; and

WHEREAS, she loved everyone around her and never met a stranger. She was a mother to many and a friend to all; and

WHEREAS, Margo accepted Christ and Savior early in her life. She was a faithful and dedicated member of Saints Fellowship C.O.G.I.C. She loved and gave her life to Christ. She would always say and believed, "With Christ everything is possible;" and

WHEREAS, Margo was a dedicated teacher and worked for Headstart for over 20 years. She was a parent volunteer with Mathew Dickey Boys Club and worked on various neighborhood improvement projects; and

WHEREAS, Margo was a dedicated servant for many years as a Board Member of Union West Community Corporation, the local housing organization. She actively served as the block captain in the 1400 block of Temple Avenue for many years and was one of the best neighbors throughout the City of St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, on the day of her departure, May 17, 2010 she left behind her husband, George; father, James; brother, Lonell; children, James, Corinne, Joseph, Andrea, Guy, George Jr., Sonya, Selma, Rhoda, Christine (Emmit), and Kenneth, a host of grandchildren, great and great great grandchildren, extended family and 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 Margo Anderson 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 Anderson family, at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 24th day of May, 2010 by:

Honorable Jeffrey L. Boyd, Alderman 22nd Ward

Adopted this the 24th day of May, 2010 as attested by:

David W. Sweeney

Lewis E. Reed

Clerk, Board of Aldermen

President, Board of Aldermen