

*RESOLUTION NUMBER 99*

*WHEREAS*, the membership of Saint Peter African Methodist Episcopal Church, located at 4730 Margareta Avenue in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, recognize the Discipline, Dedication and Devotion of George Benberry; and

*WHEREAS*, George Benberry served as Trustee to the assembly of the righteous and the congregation faithfully from 1954 until 2005, a total of 51 years; and

*WHEREAS*, it is befitting that under the charge of Bishop John R. Bryant, Presiding Prelate, Reverend W. Bartalette Finney, Presiding Elder, and at the bequest and direction of Reverend Anthony S. Steele, Sr., George Benberry has been designated Trustee Emeritus; and

*WHEREAS*, George Benberry is an outstanding member of this community whose service is greatly appreciated; and

*WHEREAS*, a record of this Resolution shall be set forth in the official records of Saint Peter African Methodist Episcopal Church for prosperity sake;

*NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED* by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis, that we pause in our deliberations to recognize and honor George Benberry on the occasion of his being named Trustee Emeritus for Saint Peter African Methodist Episcopal Church 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 15th day of September, 2006 by:

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

Adopted this the 15th day of September, 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