

RESOLUTION NUMBER 120

WHEREAS, Vincent Bennett, Senior Vice President of McCormack Baron Salazar, is a great developer of the community of St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bennett is an expert of large-scale neighborhood master redevelopment efforts as well as in public housing transformations; and

WHEREAS, through his work, Mr. Bennet has experience structuring and negotiating mixed-finance transactions that include Low-Income Housing Tax credit equity, Community Development Block Grant, HOME, HOPE VI, grants, and corporate donations; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bennett has displayed a deep and abiding commitment to improving the lives and fortunes of all citizens, regardless of ethnicity and station; and

WHEREAS, Vincent Bennett is a true asset to the City of St. Louis and will be honored as such by the Human Development Corporation of Metropolitan St. Louis at the 36th Annual Awards Dinner;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis, that we pause in our deliberations to recognize Vincent Bennett for his vast contributions to the City of St. Louis 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 25th day of September, 2006 by:

Honorable Michael McMillan, Alderman 19th Ward

Adopted this the 25th day of September, 2006 as attested:

Patrick J. Connaghan
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

James F. Shrewsbury
President, Board of Aldermen