

RESOLUTION NUMBER 227
The THF Gateway Cup

WHEREAS, the latest edition of the THF Realty Gateway Cup was held this past Labor Day weekend. In its long history extending back 25 years, it has always maintained this to be the weekend for the races; and

WHEREAS, the title sponsor for the event is THF Realty and the Race Director is Mike Weiss. Supporting race directors include Jerry Bruce, Dan Brungard, Amy Strahan, and Heather Johnson; and

WHEREAS, this is a four day race series that spotlights four different city neighborhoods over the four day period: Friday night - Lafayette Square; Saturday - St. Louis Hills; Sunday - the Hill; and Monday - Benton Park; and

WHEREAS, the event attracts top cyclists from around the country, both professional and amateur, and showcases the local neighborhoods by carving a one to two mile course which is raced around in a format called a criterium. These neighborhoods are vital in the production of the races. The neighborhoods are also given the opportunity to highlight the retail and restaurant business in that neighborhood with an "expo" area.

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 congratulate the THF Gateway Cup and we wish the event continued success and achievement 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 honorees at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 22nd day of October, 2010 by:

Honorable Donna Baringer, Alderwoman 16th Ward

Honorable Kacie Starr Triplett, Alderwoman 6th Ward

Honorable Phyllis Young, Alderwoman 7th Ward

Honorable Kenneth A. Ortmann, Alderman 9th Ward

Honorable Joseph Vollmer, Alderman 10th Ward

Adopted this the 22nd day of October, 2010 as attested by:

David W. Sweeney
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen