

RESOLUTION NUMBER 286
RALPH WAFER

***WHEREAS*, on December 10, 2007, the 17th Ward will hold its Annual Holiday Party and Awards Ceremony at which time Ralph Wafer will be honored for his contributions to the 17th Ward and the City of St. Louis; and**

***WHEREAS*, Ralph Wafer has shown extraordinary dedication and commitment to the Central West End neighborhood; and**

***WHEREAS*, Ralph Wafer has lived in the Central West End since the mid-1970s, and has been a member of the Board of Directors of Central West End Midtown Development since 2005, serving as chair of the Infrastructure Committee; and**

***WHEREAS*, As chair of the Infrastructure Committee, Ralph Wafer has worked tirelessly to improve infrastructure in the Central West End Midtown area, including: overseeing the redesign of the Euclid streetscape; sidewalk replacement and repair; installation of cut-off light fixtures; and the selection of a pedestrian light fixture for the neighborhood;**

***NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED* by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize Ralph Wafer as recipient of the 17th Ward's Community Involvement Award and we further join with the members of the 17th Ward in honoring Ralph Wafer for his outstanding contributions to our City, and we direct the Clerk of the Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of this proceeding and to prepare a commemorative copy to be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.**

Introduced on the 7th day of December, 2007 by:

Honorable Joseph D. Roddy, Alderman 17th Ward

Adopted this the 7th day of December, 2007 as attested by:

Denise Watson-Wesley Coleman
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen