

RESOLUTION NUMBER 83
Hotel Indigo St. Louis Central West End

WHEREAS, we have been apprised of the opening of Hotel Indigo St. Louis Central West End following a \$10 million renovation by The Roberts Hotels Group of the historic former Bel Air West Motel, which first opened in 1958 as the city's first motel; and

WHEREAS, located in an upscale neighborhood known for its rich architectural heritage, the 127-room boutique hotel was recently included on the National Register of Historic Places by the National Park Service; and

WHEREAS, Roberts Hotels Group, a subsidiary of The Roberts Companies, owns the Hotel Indigo St. Louis Central West End. The Roberts Companies is owned by Michael and Steven Roberts, two brothers ranked among the country's most successful African-American businessmen; and

WHEREAS Hotel Indigo St. Louis features inviting guestrooms with plush bedding, hard-surface flooring with area rugs, a spa-inspired bath experience, and complimentary high-speed Internet access in guestrooms and public spaces. The hotel also offers gourmet menu items and full service-bar at Phi Bar and Bistro, complimentary parking, a 24-hour business center, more than 1,100 square feet of meeting space for business functions or special events, and wireless high-speed Internet access throughout the hotel; and

WHEREAS, meeting the desires of today's traveler, Hotel Indigo is an upscale boutique brand that delivers a refreshing and inviting guest experience that is truly reflective of the local community. From the locally-inspired murals to the seasonal renewal program where the images, music, scent, and menu items change four times a year, Hotel Indigo gives guests a vibrant, engaging and genuine boutique experience.

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 welcome Hotel Indigo St. Louis Central West End to St. Louis and we further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 2nd day of July, 2009 by:

Honorable Joseph Roddy, Alderman 17th Ward

Adopted this the 2nd day of July, 2009 as attested by:

David W. Sweeney
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen