

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 211**  
**Darius Chapman**

**WHEREAS**, we have been apprised that on Sunday, November 29, 2009 at the Polish Heritage Center the Metro Sentinel Journal News will convene its 34th Annual “Yes I Can” Awards Banquet; and

**WHEREAS**, under the leadership of Michael C. Williams, owner and publisher, the Metro Sentinel Journal News continues to recognize the meaningful contributions of stellar St. Louisans; and

**WHEREAS**, local leaders have been nominated by their peers and admirers as “Special Achievers” in 2008; and

**WHEREAS**, these local leaders have established themselves as outstanding professionals in the public, private, non-profit, government and educational sectors.

**WHEREAS**, Darius Chapman is being recognized as a “Special Achiever” for his contributions to St. Louis; and

**WHEREAS**, Darius Chapman is the Manager of the Municipal Department and Field Operations for the City of St. Louis License Collector’s Office.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Aldermen for the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize Darius Chapman for his stellar accomplishments and commitment to making our region a better place to live and work. We direct the Clerk of this Board to prepare a commemorative copy of this resolution to the end that it may be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the sponsor.

Introduced on the 24th day of November, 2009 by:

**Honorable April Ford-Griffin, Alderwoman 5th Ward**

Honorable Lewis E. Reed, President of the Board of Aldermen

Honorable Samuel L. Moore Alderman 4th Ward

Adopted this the 24th day of November, 2009 as attested:

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David W. Sweeney  
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

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Lewis E. Reed  
President, Board of Aldermen

