

RESOLUTION NUMBER 253

George Noory

WHEREAS, now with a 30-year history in the broadcasting field under his belt in such positions as executive television news producer and news director, George brings a wide swath of experience to the table; and

WHEREAS, at age 28, George was the youngest major news market news director in the country when he was at KMSP-TV in Minneapolis. But it was just a couple of years ago that he came to the attention of Premiere Radio Networks, who heard him on his late-night radio program on KTRS in St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, known as "the Nighthawk," George's penchant for covering topics with enthusiasm and skill impressed Premiere and it became official on January 1, 2003, when .George took over as the host of America's most fascinating overnight radio program; and

WHEREAS, George is a veteran of the United States Navy who served nine years in the U.S. Naval Reserve as a lieutenant; and

WHEREAS, in 2006, Noory co-authored his first book with William J. Birnes entitled "Worker in the Light: Unlock Your Five Senses and Liberate Your Limitless Potential"; and

WHEREAS, *Coast to Coast AM* is heard on 512 radio stations with 5-10 million listeners nightly. It is the highest rated radio show ever; and

WHEREAS, George Noory is proud to make St. Louis a "national" word, broadcasting out of St. Louis. His children, Wendy, Kristina and Noory and grandchildren, Ariana, Mia, Kaia and Gavin all live in St. Louis.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to thank George Noory for bringing national notoriety to the City of St. Louis as host of *Coast to Coast AM* and we wish him 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 honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 5th day of December, 2008 by:

Honorable Kathleen Hanrahan, Alderwoman 23rd Ward

Adopted this the 5th day of December, 2008 as attested by:

David W. Sweeney
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen

