

RESOLUTION NUMBER 38

Bishop Darrell L. Hines

WHEREAS, Bishop Darrell L. Hines is the dynamic founder of Darrell Hines Ministries—a global ministry organization anchored by the nearly 6,000 member Christian Faith Fellowship Church of God in Christ Milwaukee, Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Hines' primary goal is to bring the message of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to people of every ethnic background, nation and culture. Bishop Hines has appeared on Christian television stations such as TBN and *This Is Your Day* with Benny Hinn. He can even be seen live on the Internet during scheduled service times at www.StreamingFaith.com; and

WHEREAS, the ministry of Bishop Hines was propelled as a result of him being pronounced dead for 45 minutes after being struck by lightning in 1981. This single event proved to become one that would set the stage for a lifetime of service in full-time ministry. After being fully healed and restored to health, he started on his mission by evangelizing. Bishop Hines traveled throughout the U.S., Africa and Germany for more than 10 years, winning souls that numbered into the tens of thousands; and

WHEREAS, the local church of Christian Faith Fellowship Church (CFFC), which was founded and currently pastored by Bishop Hines and his wife Pamela, is located on the northwest side of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. The church helps to serve and meet the diverse needs of the people within the city of Milwaukee and around the globe; and

WHEREAS, the church facility is comprised of 156,000 square feet that include a 2,000+ seat Sanctuary with two overflows, administrative offices and the Darrell Lynn Hines College Preparatory Academy of Excellence, a 55,000 square foot school with a full-sized gymnasium, cafeteria and largely spaced classrooms. The school was founded in order to train and educate children within a Christian environment. The newly acquired Destiny Youth Plaza is a 66,000 square foot strip mall covering 5.8 acres of land located 10 blocks from the church. The Plaza will be used to reach the youth of Milwaukee by providing education, recreation, job placement help and other needed resources. The remaining space is used to facilitate the headquarters of Darrell Hines Ministries, additional church offices and the auditorium of CFFC's youth services; and

WHEREAS, recognized for his cutting-edge preaching, teaching and ministry establishment, Bishop Hines is a leader among men. He was elevated to the office of Auxiliary Bishop within the Church of God in Christ under the leadership of the Presiding Bishop Gilbert Earl Patterson. He also serves as the Chairmen of the Men's Ministry and is the acting host of the annual Men Perfecting Men's Conference under the direction of Presiding Bishop Charles E. Blake Sr.; this is a national gathering that has touched the lives of more than 20,000 men.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize Bishop Darrell L. Hines and we wish him continued success, achievement and accomplishment 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 2nd day of May, 2008 by:

Honorable Samuel L. Moore, Alderman 4th Ward

Adopted this 2nd day of May, 2008 as attested by:

David W. Sweeney
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen

