



# Board of Commissioners of Cook County

118 North Clark Street  
Chicago, IL

## Legislation Text

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### **PROPOSED RESOLUTION**

#### **HONORING IGNOTZ RISTORANTE'S 25TH ANNIVERSARY**

**WHEREAS**, Ignotz Ristorante ("Ignotz") is a family-owned and operated Italian restaurant located in the Heart of Chicago neighborhood; and

**WHEREAS**, Ignotz opened its doors in 1999 by Joan and Roger Wroblewski who intended to bring traditional Italian cuisine to the communities of the Southwest side of Chicago; and

**WHEREAS**, Roger lived in the Heart of Chicago his whole life and always dreamed of opening a restaurant; and

**WHEREAS**, through Rogers's passion, drive, and determination, he made this dream come true with his wife, Joan by opening a restaurant and naming it Ignotz Ristorante after Joan's late father, Ignac Glavac; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Ignac Glavac taught those around him the value of hard work, dedication, and passion for cooking. His legacy lives on in every dish Ignotz's serves; and

**WHEREAS**, Ignotz is still family-owned and run after 25 years. Roger and Joan's three daughters, Alexis, Olivia, and Isabella have worked at Ignotz and have their names featured on the menu; and

**WHEREAS**, Ignotz's delicious traditional Italian dishes have unique names, some prominently highlight aspects of Cook County government such as their State Attorney's salad, Public Defender pasta, and their Court Reporter sandwich; and

**WHEREAS**, Ignotz provides a cozy atmosphere reminiscent of Italy and proudly features colorful murals. Ignotz has become a staple in the community and has made quite a name for themselves- many of their customers travel from afar to enjoy the atmosphere, celebrate milestones in their lives, and create family traditions.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Cook County Board of Commissioners does hereby recognize and honor the 25th Anniversary of Ignotz Ristorante; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this text be spread upon the proceedings of this Honorable Body and that a suitable copy of this resolution is presented to Ignotz Ristorante in honor of its 25th anniversary.