



Board of Commissioners of Cook County

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PROPOSED RESOLUTION

HONORING BISHOP MOODY FOR 40 YEARS OF SERVICE AND PROCLAIMING NOVEMBER 7TH BISHOP CARLIS L. MOODY SR. DAY

WHEREAS, on November 7, 2014 Bishop Carlis L. Moody, Sr. will be honored and celebrated for his countless contributions throughout his forty years of service in the United States and abroad; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Moody began his ministry at the age of sixteen with a small congregation and is now the spiritual leader of over two hundred families, and over five hundred members locally; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Moody Sr. has served as Vice President of the black Minister Alliance of Evanston and as a member of the Curriculum Council for the Evanston Township High School; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Moody has ministered in over thirty-eight countries, including Argentina, Belize, Botswana, Columbia, Haiti, and Nigeria; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Moody has served as President of the Home and Foreign Missions Department of the Church of God in Christ, Inc. which reaches over fifty-seven countries for forty years and is also the Jurisdictional Bishop of Germany; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Moody was elected to serve as a member of the Advisory Committee of the Pentecostal World Conference and served in that position for twenty-seven years; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Moody's local church, Home Ministry, served as the Home Church for Drug Rehabilitation Center, (Prevention, Inc.) for eleven years. The Faith Temple congregation ministered in their community through radio for thirteen years and on television for the past ten years; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Moody spearheaded the Faith Christian Academy which served students, kindergarten through eighth grade, as a means to enrich the lives of young people in the Evanston Northshore area and by fostering respect, compassion, honesty, and service; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Moody established a Nursing Home Ministry, Food Pantry, and Prison Ministry to service the community; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Commissioners of Cook County, on behalf of the 5.2 million residents of Cook County takes great pleasure in honoring and celebrating Bishop Moody's 40 years of service and herewith honors Bishop Moody for bettering the lives of the citizens of Cook County, Illinois; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that November 7th 2014 be proclaimed Bishop Carlis L. Moody, Sr. Day; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a suitable copy of this Resolution be spread upon the official proceedings of this Honorable Body and that an official copy of the same be tendered to The 40th Year Celebration Committee.