

Legislation Text

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PROPOSED RESOLUTION

REMEMBERING AND HONORING THE LIFE OF DAVID WAYNE HIRSCHBOECK

WHEREAS, David Wayne Hirschboeck passed away April 11, 2018; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hirschboeck was a career Cook County Assistant Public Defender; and

WHEREAS, for thirty years, from 1973 to 2003, Mr. Hirschboeck proudly, tirelessly and without hesitation represented those underserved individuals who could not afford to hire their own attorneys; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hirschboeck served as a teacher, supervisor, mentor and an inspiration to younger and less-experienced attorneys in the Cook County Public Defenders Office; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hirschboeck served as an attorney in every division of the Public Defenders Office and in every courthouse in the Cook County Public; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hirschboeck was initially assigned as an attorney to the Appellate Division; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hirschboeck was later assigned as an attorney to the Juvenile Division; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hirschboeck eventually he was assigned as an attorney to the Felony Trial Division where he became a member of the Murder Task Force; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hirschboeck served as a supervisor in the Juvenile and Felony Trial Divisions; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hirschboeck was a 1965 high school graduate of Fenwick High School in Oak Park, Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hirschboeck was a 1969 college graduate of Notre Dame University in South Bend, Indiana, where he was a boxer competing in Notre Dame's Bengal Bouts boxing matches; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hirschboeck was a 1972 law school graduate of The Georgetown School of Law in Washington, D.C.; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hirschboeck was the father of three children, Rebecca, Johanna, and Peter; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hirschboeck was married to Stephanie who was also a thirty year Cook County Assistant Public Defender; 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 commemorates the extraordinary life of David Wayne Hirschboeck, and herewith expresses its sincere gratitude for the invaluable and innumerable contributions he has made to the Citizens of Cook

County, Illinois; 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 family of David Wayne Hirschboeck.