



Board of Commissioners of Cook County

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Chicago, IL

Legislation Text

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PROPOSED RESOLUTION

CELEBRATING THE 90TH ANNIVERSARY OF MICHAEL LEWIS COMPANY

WHEREAS, the Michael Lewis Company is currently celebrating their 90th Anniversary, a remarkable milestone for a Cook County business; and

WHEREAS, Leonard Simon founded the company, originally Simon Products, in 1928 after dropping out of high school to earn money to support his family; and

WHEREAS, Simon Products was originally located on Van Buren Street in the Printers Row area of downtown Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Michael Lewis moved its World Headquarters to McCook, Illinois located in the 16th District of Cook County, with locations in seven states and two continents; and

WHEREAS, for four generations, Michael Lewis has forged relationships with the world's leading airlines, through an extensive network of resources, such as transportation infrastructure and expanding e-commerce initiatives to better assist in managing airlines supplies; and

WHEREAS, Michael Lewis's values of service, commitment, and integrity have helped create the framework for its extensive success in the industry; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Cook County Board of Commissioners does hereby express our gratitude and congratulations to Michael Lewis in Celebration of its 90th Anniversary and extend our very best wishes for the future; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and presented to Michael Lewis to demonstrate the County's support for their continued success.