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of the
CITY COUNCIL
of the
CITY of CHICAGO, ILLINOIS**

Special Meeting--Tuesday July 13, 1982

at 9:00 A.M.

(Council Chamber--City Hall--Chicago, Illinois)

OFFICIAL RECORD.

JANE M. BYRNE
Mayor

WALTER S. KOZUBOWSKI
City Clerk

Call to Order:

On Tuesday, July 13, 1982, at 9:00 A.M. (the day and hour appointed for the meeting) Honorable Jane M. Byrne, Mayor, called the City Council to order. Honorable Walter S. Kozubowski, City Clerk, called the roll of members and it was found that there were present at that time: Aldermen Roti, Barnett, Kenner, Bloom, Sawyer, Bertrand, Humes, Shaw, Vrdolyak, Huels, Majerczyk, Madrzyk, Burke, Brady, Barden, Streeter, Kellam, Sheahan, Sherman, Stemberk, Shumpert, Marzullo, Nardulli, Carothers, Davis, Martinez, Gabinski, Mell, Frost, Farina, Cullerton, Pucinski, Natarus, Oberman, Merlo, Clewis, Axelrod, Schulter, Volini, Stone--40.

Quorum present.

Invocation.

Alderwoman Eloise Barden, 16th Ward, opened the meeting with prayer.

Call for Special Meeting Read.

The Clerk informed the City Council that the following call for the meeting was filed in the City Clerk's office on Saturday, July 10, 1982, at 9:00 A.M.:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
CITY OF CHICAGO

July 10, 1982.

*Honorable Walter S. Kozubowski
City Clerk
Room 107, City Hall
Chicago, Illinois 60602*

Dear Mr. Kozubowski--I have called a special meeting of the City Council for the purpose of paying honor to the life and memory of our beloved colleague and friend, Honorable Thomas J. Casey, Alderman of the 37th Ward. The meeting is to be held Tuesday, July 13, 1982 at 9:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers in the City Hall.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) JANE M. BYRNE,
Mayor.

Tribute to Late Alderman Thomas J. Casey.

Honorable Jane M. Byrne, Mayor, on behalf of herself and all the Members of the City Council presented the following proposed resolution:

WHEREAS, The colleagues, friends and citizens of Chicago are shocked and saddened at the sudden death of Alderman Thomas J. Casey on July 9, 1982; and

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Casey served the City of Chicago with dignity and honor for 17 years as Alderman of the 37th Ward; and

WHEREAS, Alderman Casey rendered outstanding service as chairman of the City Council Committee on Committees and Rules and he also was in charge of aldermanic committee assignments; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Casey was born in Chicago and received his schooling at Our Lady of Sorrows Grammer School and St. Phillip High School before attending the University of Notre Dame; and

WHEREAS, Alderman Casey served for 25 years in the City Water Department where he became a district foreman of water pipe construction; and

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Casey was a dedicated public servant who could be found in his office daily and who was stricken while on a street inspection tour in his ward; and

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Casey also served as committeeman of his ward and he was held in high esteem by the residents because of his interest in their problems and prompt attention to their needs; now, therefore,

Be It Resolved, That the Mayor and members of the City Council of the City of Chicago, assembled this 13th day of July, 1982, do hereby express our sadness at the death of Alderman Thomas J. Casey and extend our condolences to his beloved wife, Catherine and other members of his family; and

Be It Further Resolved, That a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and forwarded to the family of Thomas J. Casey.

Alderman Marzullo moved to *Suspend the Rules Temporarily* to permit immediate consideration of and action upon the foregoing proposed resolution. The motion *Prevailed*.

On motion of Alderman Marzullo (seconded by Aldermen Frost, Farina, Burke, Natarus, Barnett, Gabinski, Cullerton, Pucinski, Davis, Mell, Roti and Vrdolyak) the foregoing proposed resolution was *Adopted*, unanimously, by a rising vote.

In their remarks, the aldermen spoke of the dedication and helpfulness of the late Alderman Casey. The aldermen agreed that he was a man of gentleness, quietness and with a keen sense of humor. All extended their condolences to the family of the late Alderman Casey.

Honorable Jane M. Byrne, Mayor, then addressed the Council, paying tribute to the late Alderman and extending her condolences to the family of Alderman Thomas J. Casey.

ADJOURNMENT.

Thereupon, Alderman Burke moved that the City Council do *Adjourn Sine Die*. The motion *Prevailed* and the City Council *Stood Adjourned*.


WALTER S. KOZUBOWSKI
City Clerk.