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Special Meeting--Monday, November 27, 1989

at 9:00 A.M.

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

OFFICIAL RECORD.

RICHARD M. DALEY
Mayor

WALTER S. KOZUBOWSKI City Clerk

Attendance At Meeting.

Present - The Honorable Richard M. Daley, Mayor, and Aldermen Roti, Rush, Tillman, T. Evans, Bloom, Steele, Beavers, Caldwell, Shaw, Vrdolyak, Huels, Fary, Burke, Carter, Langford, Streeter, Sheahan, Jones, J. Evans, Garcia, Krystyniak, Henry, Soliz, Gutierrez, Butler, E. Smith, Davis, Bialczak, Figueroa, Mell, Austin, Kotlarz, Banks, Giles, Cullerton, O'Connor, Pucinski, Natarus, Eisendrath, Levar, Shiller, Schulter, M. Smith, Stone.

Absent - Aldermen Madrzyk, Kellam, Gabinski, Laurino, Hansen, Orr.

Call To Order.

On Monday, November 27, 1989 at 9:00 A.M., The Honorable Richard M. Daley, Mayor, called the City Council to order. The Honorable Walter S. Kozubowski, City Clerk, called the roll of members and it was found that there were present at that time: Aldermen Roti, T. Evans, Bloom, Steele, Beavers, Caldwell, Shaw, Vrdolyak, Huels, Fary, Burke, Langford, Streeter, Jones, Krystyniak, Gutierrez, E. Smith, Davis, Bialczak, Mell, Banks, Cullerton, Pucinski, Natarus, Eisendrath, Schulter, M. Smith, Stone – 28.

Quorum present.

Invocation.

Dr. Charles G. Hayes, Cosmopolitan Church of Prayer, opened the meeting with prayer.

Placed On File - CALL FOR SPECIAL MEETING.

The Honorable Walter S. Kozubowski, City Clerk, informed the City Council that the following call for a special meeting was filed in the Office of the City Clerk on November 22, 1989, at 4:44 P.M.:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR CITY OF CHICAGO

November 22, 1989.

Honorable Walter S. Kozubowski City Clerk City Hall, Room 107 121 North LaSalle Street Chicago, Illinois 60602

DEAR MR. KOZUBOWSKI — I hereby call a special meeting of the City Council to be held on November 27, 1989, at the hour of 9:00 A.M. in the City Council Chamber on the second floor of City Hall, Chicago, Illinois, for the purpose of paying tribute to the late Mayor Harold Washington and for no other purpose whatsoever.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) RICHARD M. DALEY, Mayor.

OPENING MUSICAL SELECTION.

The Reverend Calvin Bridges, Faith Tabernacle Baptist Church, performed a musical rendition of "Thank You From My Heart".

REMARKS BY ELECTED OFFICIALS

At this point in the proceedings, Alderman Burke moved to Suspend the Rules Temporarily to permit guests the privilege of the floor for the purpose of addresing the Council. The motion Prevailed.

The Honorable Richard M. Daley, Mayor, expressed his admiration of the former Mayor Harold Washington by noting the strong pride and respect he had for Chicago and all its citizens. Mayor Daley noted his particular admiration not only for Mayor Washington's broad

foresight but for his vision in targeting the education of young Chicagoan's as a special priority. It was in this effort, he noted, that Mayor Washington left his greatest legacy by ensuring an unlimited future for Chicago's school children. Mayor Daley then pledged to apply his greatest efforts towards helping to fulfill the late Mayor's educational goals.

Expressions of sorrow and words of remembrance about the late Honorable Harold Washington, Mayor, were shared by the following members of the City Council:

Alderman T. Evans (4th Ward)

Alderman Davis (29th Ward)

Alderman E. Smith (28th Ward)

Alderman Shaw (9th Ward)

Alderman Langford (16th Ward)

Alderman Bloom (5th Ward)

Alderman Natarus (42nd Ward)

Alderman Rush (2nd Ward)

Alderman Jones (20th Ward)

Alderman Caldwell (8th Ward)

Alderman J. Evans (21st Ward)

Alderman Stone (50th Ward)

Alderman Pucinski (41st Ward)

Alderman Streeter (17th Ward)

Alderman M. Smith (48th Ward)

Alderman Tillman (3rd Ward)

Alderman Eisendrath (43rd Ward)

Alderman Burke (14th Ward)

Alderman Carter (15th Ward)

REMARKS BY FAMILY MEMBER MR. RAMON PRICE.

Speaking from the Clerk's rostrum Mr. Ramon Price, half-brother of the late Mayor Harold Washington, expressed his thanks on behalf of the entire Washington family for the

recognition accorded the memory of the late Mayor Washington by Mayor Daley and the entire City Council. Mr. Price also expressed the hope that the Council and City fulfill the legacy of the late Mayor by carrying on "the dream".

CLOSING MUSICAL SELECTION.

The Reverend Calvin Bridges performed the musical selection "To God Be The Glory".

PRESENCE OF VISITORS NOTED.

The Honorable Richard M. Daley, Mayor, called the Council's attention to the presence of the following visitors:

The Honorable Art Agnos, Mayor, San Francisco, California;

The Honorable Cecil Partee, State's Attorney of Cook County;

The Honorable Marco Domico, Commissioner of the Board of Commissioners of Cook County;

The Honorable Frank Damato, Commissioner of the Board of Commissioners of Cook County;

The Honorable William Shaw, State Representative for the 34th Legislative District;

The Honorable Margaret Burroughs, Commissioner of the Chicago Park District;

The Honorable Bruce Farley, State Representative for the 6th Legislative District;

The Honorable Charles Hayes, United States Congressman for the 1st Congressional District; and

Ms. Dolores Woods, secretary to the late Mayor Harold Washington.

Mr. Leroy Martin, Superintendent, Department of Police;

Ms. Kathy Osterman, Director, Office of Special Events;

Mr. Glenn Care, Commissioner of the Department of Personnel.

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