

RESOLUTION NUMBER 163

Ronald Jenkins

WHEREAS, we pause in our deliberations to recognize Ronald Jenkins for all of his hard work and dedication to the 4th Ward and Historic Greater Ville Neighborhood as the 4th Ward Nuisance Coordinator; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Jenkins was born in St. Louis and attended Marshall Elementary School and Soldan High School ; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Jenkins graduated from Northeast Missouri State University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Political Science and Sociology Masters Degree in Guidance and Counseling; and

WHEREAS, he served in the US Army with a rank of Sergeant E5 and had Duty Station in Paris, France; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Jenkins' previous work experience includes: 1972-1980 Counselor Florissant Valley College; 1980-1985 Vocational Counselors: Forest Park Community College, Substance Abuse Counselor: NASCO Treatment Center; 1989-1993 St. Louis Department of Health, Social Worker – Metropolitan AIDS Program; 1993 – 2005 Program Manager Community Based Health Center HEALTH STREET ; Program Manager St. Louis Gang Program; 2006-2008 Neighborhood Stabilization Officer 4th Ward; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Jenkins has received national and international recognition for work he has done with gangs members in St. Louis.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause to recognize the many contributions of Ronald Jenkins to the citizens of the City of St. Louis and we further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a memorial copy for presentation to the Banks family, at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 17th day of September, 2008 by:

Honorable Samuel L. Moore Alderman 4th Ward

Adopted this the 17th day of September, 2008 as attested by:

David W. Sweeney
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen