

A CEREMONIAL RESOLUTION

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IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

February 3, 2004

To pay tribute to Dennis Logan for twenty plus years of dedicated professional and community service as organizer and steward of the Ward 7 Neighborhood Watch Program.

WHEREAS, it is with admiration and respect that the Council approves this official acknowledgment in deference to a truly talented advocate and organizer;

WHEREAS, Dennis Logan, "King of Neighborhood Watch" has nurtured a practical yet sophisticated approach to dealing with the element of crime in neighborhoods of the seventh ward;

WHEREAS, the Neighborhood Watch Program has been an extremely successful approach to combatting crime and bringing a sense of safety and security to several Ward 7 communities;

WHEREAS, in organizing the Ward 7 Neighborhood Watch Program, Dennis Logan established a foundation for community organizing that transcends the issues of crime-fighting and prevention. Through the organization's efforts has evolved a forceful and effective community able to achieve many of its goals and objectives;

WHEREAS, Dennis and Gloria Logan are the essence of community service. They have expended much time, talent and energy in order to make their community a safer place for all. We are all indebted to their legacy of community service; and

WHEREAS, Councilmember Chavous, Ward 7 Advisory Neighborhood Commissions, Civic Associations, Ward 7 Democrats, Clergy, businesses, educators, neighbors and friends pay homage to his immeasurable contribution to the fabric of the Ward 7 community.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the "Dennis Logan Acknowledgment and Recognition Resolution of 2004".

Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia congratulates and salutes Dennis Logan for being a role model for other citizens of the District of Columbia.

Sec. 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon the first date of publication in the District of Columbia Register.

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To recognize the positive contributions that William C. Jameson has made in the fields of government and business development.

WHEREAS, William C. Jameson is retiring from a distinguished career that has touched the lives of thousands of District residents;

WHEREAS, Mr. Jameson launched his career in business development as the Loan Development Supervisor for the Small Business Development Center;

WHEREAS, Mr. Jameson then became the Executive Director and Local Vice President of the International Council for Business Opportunity with the responsibilities of program development and administrative and fiscal affairs;

WHEREAS, Mr. Jameson's dedication to minority business opportunities brought him to the Greater Washington Business Center where he rose to become the President of the organization;

WHEREAS, Mr. Jameson's work at the Greater Washington Business Center provided assistance to minority businesses in the Washington metropolitan area;

WHEREAS, Mr. Jameson continued his work of assisting minority businesses as Executive Director for the District of Columbia Minority Business Opportunity Commission which assisted businesses by expanding their contracting opportunities with agencies of the District of Columbia;

WHEREAS, Mr. Jameson's work as the Ombudsman for Minority Business Development at the Department of Administrative Services produced the Procurement Policy Manual for the District of Columbia government;

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WHEREAS, Mr. Jameson's previous experience includes working for the Department of Public Works as an Administrator, then Deputy Director for Administration, and finally Deputy Director for Operations;

WHEREAS, Mr. Jameson joined the Department of Housing and Community Development as the Special Assistant to the Director in 1992 and then became the Manager of the Home Purchase Assistance Program in 1993;

WHEREAS, Mr. Jameson as Manager of the Home Purchase Assistance Program has helped more than 5,000 District residents realize their dream of homeownership;

WHEREAS, Mr. Jameson will be heading into retirement to spend more time with his wonderful wife Margaret Brawner Jameson and two wonderful sons Shawn and Eric; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the District of Columbia recognizes the tireless work William C. Jameson has done to help local minority business get their start in the District and to help thousands of District residents finance the dream of homeownership.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the "William C. Jameson Recognition Resolution of 2004".

Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia applauds the years of dedicated service that William C. Jameson has provided the District of Columbia and wishes the best of luck to him and his family as he heads into retirement.

Sec. 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon the first date of publication in the District of Columbia Register.

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IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

February 3, 2004

To recognize the positive contributions that Susie Kay has made to the lives of the District's youth.

WHEREAS, Susie Kay is the founder and President of the Hoop Dreams Scholarship Fund;

WHEREAS, Susie Kay taught 12th grade American Government at the District of Columbia's H.D. Woodson High School;

WHEREAS, Susie Kay recognized that many District of Columbia public school students needed to obtain financial scholarships to attend college;

WHEREAS, the Hoop Dreams Scholarship Fund raises money by hosting basketball tournaments which bring together District public high school students with the District business community to raise money for academic college scholarships for the students;

WHEREAS, over the past seven years the Hoop Dreams Scholarship Fund has provided over 800 college scholarships to deserving and hardworking District public school students;

WHEREAS, the Hoop Dream Scholarship Fund has raised over \$2 million to award these scholarships;

WHEREAS, the vast majority of scholarships are awarded to students who are the first in their families to attend college;

WHEREAS, the Hoop Dreams Scholarship Fund also includes programming initiatives such as a college preparatory mentoring program, an internship program, and a Scholastic Aptitude Test preparatory program;

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WHEREAS, Susie Kay has worked tirelessly at breaking down racial barriers;

WHEREAS, Susie Kay is the author of the curriculum guide for STAR - Students Talk About Race - a tool used to instruct teachers about teaching racial reconciliation and how to break down racial barriers;

WHEREAS, the STAR curriculum has been distributed to teachers in high schools across the nation;

WHEREAS, Susie Kay has been recognized by the President's Commission on Race in 1999 for her work to further racial reconciliation;

WHEREAS, Susie Kay is a proud graduate of American University and received the Distinguished Alumni of 2003 Award; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the District of Columbia recognizes all the work Susie Kay has done to educate District of Columbia public school students and offer race reconciliation courses, as well as send the students to college.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the "Susie Kay Recognition Resolution of 2004".

Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia applauds the efforts of Susie Kay and wishes the best of luck to all those students who receive scholarships from the Hoop Dream Scholarship Fund.

Sec. 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon the first date of publication in the District of Columbia Register.

