

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF IRVINGTON, NJ

No. MC15-0623-47

Date of Adoption JUNE 23, 2015

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY ON THE BASIS OF FACTS SET FORTH BY

[Signature]
Legislative Reference Officer

PRESENTED BY COUNCIL MEMBER JONES SECONDED BY BURGESS

RESOLUTION OF SORROW – BETTY J. MITCHELL

WHEREAS, Betty J. Mitchell was born on September 3, 1952, in State Park, South Carolina and was lovingly raised by the late Alice and Hughley Anderson; and

WHEREAS, Betty J. Mitchell enjoyed her colorful childhood in the country where she began her education and developed her passion for cooking under the watchful eye of her mother. She would often share the memory of being stationed at the stove atop a footstool at a very young age, too small to reach the stovetop without it; and

WHEREAS, Betty J. Mitchell relocated to Newark in 1970 and continued her education at Central High School where she earned her diploma; and

WHEREAS, Betty J. Mitchell was the loving mother of two sons, Rodney Mitchell and Jimmie Mitchell whom she affectionately referred to as her Pride and her Joy; and

WHEREAS, Betty J. Mitchell met the "Love of Her Life", Mr. Willie King, Sr., and the two remained devoted to one another until his death in 2005; and

WHEREAS, Betty J. Mitchell had an impeccable work ethic and wore many hats, taking pride in her work and encouraged those around her to do the same; and

WHEREAS, Betty J. Mitchell was employed for many years by the State of New Jersey and even spent time as a big rig truck driver, where she enjoyed engaging in playful back and forth conversations with other drivers on the CB radio; and

WHEREAS, in her later years, Betty J. Mitchell was employed by the Township of Irvington at Irvington Neighborhood Improvement Corporation where she was an exemplary team leader and mother of the office; and

WHEREAS, Betty J. Mitchell was cheerful, helpful, compassionate, honest and one tough cookie; and

WHEREAS, Betty J. Mitchell loved her family immensely and could always be depended on and had a laugh that would echo throughout a stadium; and

WHEREAS, Betty J. Mitchell enjoyed cooking and loved even more for people to thoroughly enjoy the meals she meticulously prepared; and

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2015 this beautiful woman known as Betty, Mom, Sister, Aunt Betty, Grandma, Great Grandma, Cousin and Friend took the hand of the Lord and went to dwell in his house forever; and

WHEREAS, Betty J. Mitchell leaves behind to cherish her memory her son Rodney Mitchell, and daughter-in-law Tomika Mitchell, grandchildren LaShonda, Vanessa and Jada Mitchell, great grandson King Riley, sisters Mary Campbell, Mable Hannah, Earnestine Grant, Loretta Toliber, Linda White, Rose Lilles, Orline Johnson and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends; and

WHEREAS, Betty J. Mitchell ALSO LEAVES A VERY SPECIAL NIECE, Mrs. Shirley Chester and nephew Dennis Anderson whom she was extremely close and loved dearly; and

WHEREAS, Betty J. Mitchell was predeceased by her son Jimmie Mitchell, parents Alice and Hugley Anderson, sisters Gaynell Johnson, Thelma Anderson, Sally Richardson, Jannie Waddy and Etta Mae Anderson and brothers Nelson, Irving and James Anderson:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Township of Irvington mourns the loss of Betty J. Mitchell and offers their condolences to Betty J. Mitchell's many family members of friends during this period of mourning; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this governing body in lasting tribute to Betty J. Mitchell.

RECORD OF COUNCIL VOTE

X = Indicates Vote N.V. = No Vote A.B. = Absent

COUNCIL MEMBER	YES	NO	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	YES	NO	N.V.	A.B.
BURGESS, 1ST VICE PRESIDENT	X				JONES, 2ND VICEPRESIDENT	X			
COX	X				LYONS	X			
HUDLEY	X				FREDERIC, PRESIDENT	X			
INMAN	X								

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL [Signature] MUNICIPAL CLERK [Signature] DATE JUNE 23, 2015

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution duly adopted by the Municipal Council. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the Corporate Seal of the Township of Irvington.

MUNICIPAL CLERK [Signature] DATE JUN 23 2015

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