

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF IRVINGTON, NJ

MC16-1213-68

No. _____

Date of Adoption DEC. 13, 2016

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

Legislative Research Officer

BURGESS

LYONS

PRESENTED BY COUNCIL MEMBER

SECONDED BY

RESOLUTION OF SORROW JD PARKS

WHEREAS, the Irvington Municipal Council wishes to express their deep sorrow on the passing JD Parks who departed this life on November 14, 2016 at University Hospital in Newark NJ; and

WHEREAS, JD Parks, 85 was born on August 28, 1931 in Boydton, Virginia to the late Arthur Frank Parks Sr. and Elwillie Parks; and

WHEREAS, JD was reared in a loving family and was educated in the Mecklenburg County School District in Boydton VA. He attended and graduated from West End High School in Clarksville, VA; and

WHEREAS, JD joined the Army, where he proudly served his country honorably; and

WHEREAS, upon retiring from the army JD attended Lincoln Tech in Newark NJ and became a Certified Auto Mechanic; and

WHEREAS, JD became a Deacon at St. Mark Freewill Baptist Church, in Newark NJ, where he was a dedicated member and served faithfully as a Deacon and Usher until his departure; and

WHEREAS, after he returning from the military JD met and married Arnell Haywood and from this union they had two beautiful daughters, Renata and Patricia. As JD continued his life's journey he met and married Evelyn Kelsey on June 28, 1980, and from that union they had one son Eric Leon Parks; and

WHEREAS, JD was preceded by his wife Evelyn Kelsey Parks, parents Elwillie Duncan Parks and Arthur Frank Parks Sr., brothers Leroy Parks, Columbus Parks Sr., Abraham Parks and Arthur Frank Parks Jr. He leaves to cherish his memory two daughters Renata Mauwwakkil (Jahad), Florida, Patricia Parks, Clarksville, VA, son Eric Leon Parks, Atlanta GA, sister Ellwillie Parks Davis, Boydton VA, brothers and wives Joseph Parks (Maydel), Morristown, NJ, Ervin Parks (Corine), Morristown, NJ, John H. Parks (Julia), Florida, and a host of other Grands, Great-Grands, Cousins, Nieces, Nephews and many friends:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF IRVINGTON that the Township of Irvington hereby mourns the loss of JD Parks and offers its sincerest condolences to his family and friends during this period of bereavement; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this governing body as a lasting tribute to JD Parks.

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				INMAN	X			
COX	X				JONES, 2ND VICEPRESIDENT				X
FREDERIC	X				LYONS, PRESIDENT	X			
DR. HUDLEY				X					

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL David Lyons MUNICIPAL CLERK Sheldene DATE DEC. 13, 2016

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 Sheldene

DATE 12/14/16

ADMINISTRATOR ☐ ASSESSOR ☐ BLDG ☐ CFO ☐ COLLECTOR ☐ COURT ☐ ENGINEER ☐ FIRE ☐ CF ☐ HEALTH ☐ HOUSING ☐ INIC ☐ JUDGE ☐ LEGAL ☐ LIBR ☐ LICEN ☐ MAYOR ☐ OCDP ☐ PARKS ☐ PAYROLL ☐ PUBLIC SAFETY ☐ DIR ☐ PUBLIC WORKS ☐ PURCHASING ☐ SEC ☐ PB/ZBA ☐ TRAFFIC ☐ ZONING ☐ OFF ☐ DLGS ☐ GNCD ☐ OTHER(S): _____