

Resolution Number 92
Elizabeth Glenn

WHEREAS, Elizabeth Glenn was born on February 10, 1995 and is currently in the 9th grade at Metro Academic and Classical High School; and

WHEREAS, in the spring of 2008, she took on the question of hydroponic gardening for her science fair project. She wanted to see if plants could really grow in only water and nutrients. They did and with much success; and

WHEREAS, not only did she successfully grow plants hydroponically, but she was also rewarded for her efforts by the Greater St. Louis Science Academy. Academy official gave her a small grant and asked her to study social implications of her work; and

WHEREAS, Elizabeth donated her grant to Catholic Charities and asked for their help in addressing hunger in innovative ways. From this City Greens, a produce market located in the Baden community was formed. Elizabeth and other science achievers from metro High School will work with elementary age youth at the Catholic Charities Father Tolton Center to begin a social enterprise venture to address hunger; and

WHEREAS, City Greens will home deliver fresh vegetables and fruit to homebound elderly in Baden beginning May 28, 2010 for 16 weeks. An outdoor market with season fruits and vegetables is open to the community; and

WHEREAS, Elizabeth now leads the first urban 4-H club in the City of St. Louis.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize and thank Elizabeth Glenn for her work in the St. Louis community and direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 28th day of May, 2010 by:

Honorable Lewis E. Reed, President St. Louis City Board of Aldermen
Honorable Dionne Flowers, Alderwoman 2nd Ward

Adopted this the 28th day of May, 2010 as attested by:

David W. Sweeney
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen