

RESOLUTION NUMBER 93
John Lacy Robinson

WHEREAS, John Lacy Robinson celebrated his 90th birthday on Tuesday, May 25, 2010; and

WHEREAS, John Lacy Robinson and his family have lived in the same house on the 4200 East block of Margareta in the 21st Ward for 55 years; and

WHEREAS, John Lacy Robinson was married to Juanita Robinson for 41 years. They had 9 children together: Bertha Everett, John Henry Robinson, Wendell Robinson, Dorothy Warfield, Lois Robinson, Anita Williams, Harold Robinson, Morris Robinson, and Gary Robinson. John Lacy Robinson has 15 grandchildren, 31 great-grandchildren, and 7 great-great-grandchildren.

WHEREAS, John Lacy Robinson had a career as a factory maintenance man, working at G. Mathis for 25 years, and retiring from ACE Scrap Metal in 1987 at the age of 67. He served our country in the United States Navy during WWII, as a Steward's Mate 1st Class aboard the aircraft carrier S.S. Saratoga; and

WHEREAS, John Lacy Robinson is well-known in the community. For many years, he has taken it upon himself to clean up the alleys and cut the grass for seniors on his block. Today, his great love is gardening. He grows vegetables in his yard which he shares with his neighbors.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize the achievements and accomplishments of John Lacy Robinson and wish him a happy birthday 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 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 Antonio D. French Alderman 21st 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