

*RESOLUTION NUMBER 122*

*WHEREAS*, we have been apprised on September 22, 2006, the Soldan International High School soccer team won the city wide soccer tournament in the thrilling victory over Gateway High School; and

*WHEREAS*, in addition to the team from Soldan International High School, this year's tournament included teams from Miller Career Academy, Cleveland High School, Gateway High School, Metro High School, Roosevelt High School, Vashon High School; and

*WHEREAS*, this exceptional team representing Soldan, is led by head coach Hamid R. Azimiaraghi and assistant coach, Joey Torgerson; and

*WHEREAS*, all of the members of this outstanding team have excelled in the sport of soccer while at the same time dedicating themselves to their education; and

*WHEREAS*, the team members, Mateusz Madej, Ameir Mahdi, Mostafa Mehanpoor, Michael Neira, Cristian Nunez-Ortiz, Juan Carlos Nunez-Ortiz, Rogelio Rodriguez, Gerardo Duron, Victor Sixtos, Dilkash Barwari, Jose Bustillo, Jesus Chavira, Nezir Lenjinac, Alberto Flores, Juan Jose Neira, Arman Teimouri, Fariborz Shamserad, Arturo Sanchez, Aaron Bolee, Ammar Albudarb, Eduardo Barragan, Nicholas Ramierz and Aldexander Cardenas, proved that team play and outstanding effort are ingredients for success in soccer, as well as most other fields of endeavor;

*NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED* by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis upon being advised of the recent success of the Soldan High School soccer team, that we pause in our deliberations to offer our sincere congratulations to the members of the team for this great victory, to the coaching staff for their hard work and dedication to these young men, and to all of the students and faculty of Soldan High School who share in this honor, 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 for the purpose of presentation to our honorees as deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 6th day of October, 2006, by:

**Honorable Frank Williamson, Alderman 26th Ward**

Adopted this the 6th day of October, 2006 as attested by:

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Patrick J. Connaghan  
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

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James F. Shrewsbury  
President, Board of Aldermen