

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION recognizing the accomplishments of the Afrikan Centered Education Collegium Campus Mighty Marching Pharaoh Band.

RESOLUTION #17277, May 20, 2010

INTRODUCED BY Dan Tarwater and James D. Tindall, County Legislators

WHEREAS, the Afrikan Centered Education Collegium Campus (ACECC) Mighty Marching Pharaoh Band made its debut performance at the Kansas City American Royal Parade in September 2009, and has since grown rapidly in membership to become the pride of the Afrikan Centered Education (ACE) campus and community; and,

WHEREAS, the Mighty Marching Pharaoh Band includes more than 100 students, grades 7 through 12, who completed intensive leadership training learning and living the motto, "I am Discipline, Dedication, Determination, Motivation, Responsibility! Marching Pharaohs, Black and Gold, that's me!"; and,

WHEREAS, the Mighty Marching Pharaoh Band has performed at numerous school and community functions including the Research Park Medical Center Block Party/Health Fair, American Royal Parade, South Suburban Jr. Football Association' Halftime Show, and many others; and,

WHEREAS, the Mighty Marching Pharaoh Band earned first place in the 2010 St. Patrick's Day Parade and first place in the 2010 Planet Rock Drumline and Marching Band competition with extraordinary performances; and,

WHEREAS, the Mighty Marching Pharaoh Band ensembles include two concert bands, a marching band, pep band, jazz band, a woodwind ensemble and a brass ensemble; and,

WHEREAS, the Mighty Marching Pharaoh Band is led by Director, Ms. Dawn "Mightymouse" Bowles, who has traveled the United States building and reviving band programs; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the Legislature congratulates the Mighty Marching Pharaoh Band on their exceptional inaugural year at the Afrikan Centered Education Collegium Campus and extends sincere best wishes for continued success in their future endeavors.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Pamela Feltin
Deputy/Assistant County Counselor

[Signature]
Acting County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution #17277 of May 20, 2010, was duly passed on May 20, 2010 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas 8

Nays 0

Abstaining 0

Absent 1

5.20.10
Date

Mary Jo Spino
Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature