

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION honoring the life and achievements of Joe Serviss.

RESOLUTION NO. 21840, January 8, 2025

INTRODUCED BY Manuel Abarca IV, County Legislator

WHEREAS, the Kansas City community mourns the passing of Joe Serviss, a dedicated public servant, visionary leader, and beloved friend, whose profound contributions have left an indelible mark on the city he called home; and,

WHEREAS, Mr. Serviss devoted his life to serving Kansas City, beginning with his tenure on the Kanas City, Missouri City Council in the 1970's where he served as Mayor ProTem and played a pivotal role in the realization of transformative projects such as the Truman Sports Complex and Kansas City International Airport; and,

WHEREAS, as Chief of Staff to Mayor Kay Barnes, Mr. Serviss's leadership and vision contributed to the revitalization of downtown Kansas City in the early 2000s, fostering a new era of growth and prosperity for the community; and,

WHEREAS, Mr. Serviss was a multifaceted leader, excelling as a business owner, real estate developer, and community advocate creating opportunities and strengthening the fabric of Kansas City; and,

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

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan Covinsky
Bryan Covinsky (Jan 2, 2025 11:13 CST)
County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 21840 of January 8, 2025, was duly passed on January 8, 2025 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas 9

Nays 0

Abstaining 0

Absent 0

1-8-2025
Date

Mary Jo Spino
Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature