IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION honoring the life and accomplishments of Jeffrey Scott Hayes who passed away on April 20, 2023.

RESOLUTION NO. 21261, May 1, 2023

INTRODUCED BY Jalen Anderson, DaRon McGee, Megan L. Marshall, Donna Peyton, Manuel Abarca IV, Charlie Franklin, Venessa Huskey, Jeanie Lauer, and Sean E. Smith, County Legislators

WHEREAS, it is with great sadness that the Legislature mourns the passing of Jeffrey Scott Hayes, who died on April 20, 2023, at the age of 57 years, after a brief battle with cancer; and,

WHEREAS, Jeff was an active member of Local 6360 of the Communication Workers of America (CWA) from the very beginning of his career with AT&T in 2006, serving as Chief Steward, Vice President, and eventually as President of CWA Local 6360, before accepting a promotion to Campaign Lead for District 6; and,

WHEREAS, Jeff was a tireless advocate for workers' rights and an ally to the labor community, instrumental in the success of the annual charity golf tournament and the Christmas Angel program; and,

WHEREAS, Jeff's dedication and service to his colleagues, the labor movement, and the community were recognized with several distinguished honors, including the Seth Slocum Union Advocate of the Year award in 2022; and.

WHEREAS, Jeff's passion for service extended beyond the workplace, as he supported several philanthropies, including Hospice House, Soles for Christ, and Working Families' Friend; and,

WHEREAS, Jeff's love for his family and friends was immeasurable, and he cherished every moment spent with his wife Chris, daughters Kaleigh and Maddison, and grandchildren Ashlyn, Brooklyn, Hadleigh, and Baylor, as well as his extended family and friends; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri that the Legislature hereby honors the life and legacy of Jeffrey Scott Hayes and expresses deepest condolences to his family, friends, and colleagues during this difficult time; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislature recognizes Jeff's unwavering commitment to workers' rights, his dedication to improving the lives of those around him, and his unwavering love for his family and friends.

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

APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
Chief Deputy County Counselor	Buran D. Courus County Counselor
Certificate of Passage	
I hereby certify that the attached reso was duly passed on	lution, Resolution No. 21261 of May 1, 2023 , 2023 by the Jackson County ws:
Yeas	Nays
Abstaining	Absent
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Date	Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature