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Legislation Text

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IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION acknowledging the 37th Annual Freedom Fund Dinner sponsored by the Kansas City, MO, branch of the NAACP to be held at the Westin Crown Center Hotel, Saturday, October 30, 2004 at 7:00 p.m.

RESOLUTION #15210, October 25, 2004

INTRODUCED BY Ronald E. Finley, County Legislator

WHEREAS, the theme of the 37th annual Freedom fund dinner is "The Race is On" and will highlight the years of struggle for NAACP as an organization with regard to voter rights as well as other issues experienced by people of color; and,

WHEREAS, the honorary chairs for the dinner are James "Jim" Wilson, Kansas City Missouri Board of Police Commissioner and his wife, Yvonne Starks Wilson, State Senator elect, 9th District Missouri; and,

WHEREAS, recognition will be paid to the following award recipients,

Award

Carl R. Johnson Humanitarian

Lucile Bluford Special Achievement

Velma Woodson Outstanding Leadership

Harold Holliday, Sr. Civil Rights

Recipient

Herman and Dorothy Johnson
(In Memoriam)

John W. Bluford

Ormer Rogers

Dr.
Robert Farnsworth

and,

WHEREAS, the keynote speaker will be Betty Winston Baye, an editorial writer and columnist for *The Courier-Journal* in Louisville, Kentucky, who carries national recognition as a leader in the field of journalism; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the Legislature acknowledges the 37th Annual Freedom Fund dinner sponsored by the Kansas City Missouri branch of the NAACP as an important and educational community event, extends sincere congratulations to the award recipients, and wishes the organization continued success in the future.

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

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution #15210 of October 25, 2004, was duly

passed on _____ October 25 _____, 2004 by the Jackson County Legislature.

The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____ 9 _____ Nays _____ 0 _____

Abstaining _____ 0 _____ Absent _____ 0 _____

Date

Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature