

SPONSOR: **Anthony Higgs**
COUNCILMAN, 3rd DISTRICT

RESOLUTION NO. R08

**RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND HONORING THE
CONTRIBUTIONS OF CLARENCE COLLINS, SR.**

WHEREAS, THE MONTH OF February is Black History Month and it is therefore appropriate for the Common Council to recognize the outstanding accomplishments and contributions of distinguished citizens of the City of Hammond; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Clarence Collins was awarded “The Keeper of the Dream” award by the Ophelia Steen Center on January 13, 1990; he was co-honored, with Mrs. Hanna Mae Thompson-Cherry, on July 7, 1999 as Co-Grand Marshall of the Maywood Neighborhood Action Festival; and “The Keeper of the Dream Award and Medal” has been renamed for Mr. Clarence Collins, Sr.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HAMMOND that the City of Hammond honors and recognizes the contributions of Clarence Collins, Sr. to the City of Hammond.

ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Hammond, on the 13th day of February, 2017.

JANET VENECZ, President /s/

**RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND HONORING THE
CONTRIBUTIONS OF CLARENCE COLLINS, SR. (cont.)**

ATTEST:

ROBERT J. GOLEC, CITY CLERK /s/

PRESENTED BY ME, the undersigned City Clerk of the City of Hammond, to the Mayor of said City for his approval on the 14th day of February, 2017.

ROBERT J. GOLEC, CITY CLERK /s/

The foregoing Resolution No. R08 consisting of 2 pages, including this page approved by the Mayor on the February, 2017.

THOMAS MCDERMOTT, JR., MAYOR /s/
City of Hammond, Indiana

ADOPTED by the Common Council on the 13th day of February, 2017, and approved by the Mayor on the 15th day of February, 2017.

ROBERT J. GOLEC, CITY CLERK /s/