

RESOLUTION

RS2012-19

Sponsored by Councilman Bray

A RESOLUTION CREATING THE KEVIN MEINHARDT AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED PUBLIC SERVICE AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO MAKE SUCH AN AWARD ANNUALLY

WHEREAS, Kevin Meinhardt served capably on the Jefferson City Board of Adjustment from 1997 to 2012; and

Whereas, Kevin Meinhardt distinguished himself as Vice Chairman from 2002 to 2004, and as Chairman from 2004 until his untimely death on August 19, 2012; and

Whereas, Chairman Meinhardt served the interest of the City and the public interest by being fair in all proceedings before the Board and promoted reasonable solutions to contentious and difficult projects; and

Whereas, Kevin Meinhardt demonstrated during his lifetime a commitment to public service and continually represented the highest standards in ethics and professionalism; and

Whereas, the City Council and the citizens of the City of Jefferson wish to express their gratitude for the example Mr. Meinhardt set during his lifetime and to encourage others to follow his example.

Now, therefore, be it resolved that the Council hereby establishes an annual award to be known as the **Kevin Meinhardt Memorial Award for Distinguished Public Service** to be presented annually to a citizen volunteer on a city board, committee, or commission who demonstrates the following:

- Devotion to Public Service as demonstrated by length of service; and
- Excellence and professionalism exhibited while serving on a city board, committee or commission; and
- Enthusiasm for public service; and
- Conduct, as a citizen, which reflects the highest ideals of citizenship

Be it Further Resolved that Nominations for this award may be made by any member of a city board, committee, or commission, by any staff liaison to such a committee, or by any city council member; and

Be it Further Resolved that The Mayor shall, in consultation with such Council Members, staff, and citizens as he deems appropriate, annually name a recipient of this award to the nominee who best demonstrates the qualities exemplified by Mr. Meinhardt and present the recipient with a suitable plaque or other token of the award.

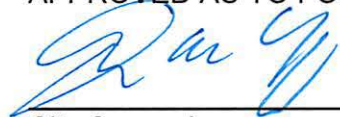
Adopted this 4th day of December, 2012

Mayor

ATTEST

APPROVED AS TO FORM

City Clerk



City Counselor