RESOLUTION 145
SAINT LOUIS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen acknowledge and commend the men and women of the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department for their steadfast dedication to safeguarding the well-being of the citizens of the City of St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, the men and women of the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department were called to respond to the unrest, which would unfold on Friday, September 15, 2017, and

WHEREAS, the men and women of the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department aligned under straining circumstances to preserve the citizens and businesses of the City of St. Louis from harm and allow individuals to exercise their right to peacefully assemble and give expression to their feelings of frustration and discontent; and

WHEREAS, in doing so, the men and women of the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department were called to spend long hours away from their families and loved ones and forgo being present at the life events that bond us to family and friends, and the pursuits which give needed balance and enrich our lives.

1NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that to express the appreciation deserved by the men and women of the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department, we pause to recognize their dedication to preserving the safety and wellbeing of the citizens of the City of St. Louis. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a memorial copy to the end that it may be presented to the men and women of the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 29th day of September, 2017 by:

The Honorable Joseph Vaccaro, Alderman 23rd Ward
The Honorable John J. Coatar, Alderman 7th Ward
The Honorable Tom Oldenburg, Alderman 16th Ward

Adopted this 29th day of September, 2017 as attested by:

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Board of Aldermen   *Lewis E. Reed*
Board of Aldermen   President, Board of Aldermen