


Councilmember Tommy Wells

A CEREMONIAL RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To celebrate and honor Deacon Lawrence Madison on his 80th birthday, and to declare December 28, as “Deacon Lawrence Madison Day” in the District of Columbia.

WHEREAS, Deacon Madison will be turning eighty years old on December 27, 2014.

WHEREAS, Deacon Madison was born in the District of Columbia and raised in Montgomery County, Maryland;

WHEREAS, In 1974, Deacon Madison graduated from George Washington Carver High School located in Montgomery County, Maryland;

WHEREAS, Deacon Madison served in the United States Army as well as the District of Columbia National Guard;

WHEREAS, Deacon Madison was employed by the Government Printing Office for thirty years prior to retiring in 1990;

WHEREAS, In 1987, Deacon Madison was ordained as a deacon at New Hope Free Will Baptist Church located at 754 Eleventh Street, SE; and

WHEREAS, Deacon Madison has served as Chairman of New Hope Free Will Baptist Church’s Deacon’s Ministry for the past eighteen years.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Deacon Lawrence Madison Day Recognition Resolution of 2014”.

Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia celebrates and honors Deacon Lawrence Madison on his 80th birthday, and declares December 28, as “Deacon Lawrence Madison Day” in the District of Columbia.

Sec. 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon the first date of publication in the District of Columbia Register.