

DETROIT CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION

In Memoriam

Mrs. Lesia Blade Latimer

WHEREAS Lesia Latimer was born on May 18, 1961 to Henry Winston Blade and Alice Bell. She was the baby girl of nine children. Her parents and seven siblings preceded her in death; and

WHEREAS Leisa attended Claude J. Miller Elementary School and Ecorse High School. In high school, Lesia was a cheerleader and played on the girls' basketball team. She was voted "Best Dressed" and "Best Build". She would go on to study at Wayne County Community College before starting her career; and

WHEREAS Lesia worked for the 36th District Court for over 15 years. She would also work in retail and along with her sister dreamed of opening a boutique featuring clothing and shoes; and

WHEREAS Lesia received Christ at an early age at Fellowship Church of God in Christ. She later joined Straightgate International Church where she met and married her husband, Charles Latimer. Together they raised their children Ale' D. Blade and Haven Latimer-born on Valentine's Day. The couple would also adopt their niece Latasha and nephew Kyle Latimer; and

WHEREAS Leisa Blade Latimer departed this life on Saturday, January 22, 2022 and is now safe in the arms of her Lord and Savior and is a part of the great cloud of witnesses; and

WHEREAS Leisa Blade Latimer is remembered by her family and friends, adored by her grandchildren Madison and Martah and missed by her friend Michelle Brown. NOW THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED The Detroit City Council honors the life of Leisa Blade Latimer, her dedication to her family and friends and her service to the citizens of Detroit.

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March 1, 2022
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