

The City of Richmond Heights

Resolution

RESOLUTION NO.: 115 -2018

INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Roche, Council President Cotton-Henry and Councilmembers Alexander, Lewis, Lentine, Kumin, Hurst, and Ursu

A Resolution of Congratulations to Charles C. Liskay on the Occasion of his 100th Birthday

Whereas, on November 8, 2018, Charles C. Liskay, a 58-year resident of Richmond Heights, will celebrate his 100th Birthday;

The Mayor and Council desire to publicly acknowledge this major milestone in the exemplary life of Mr. Liskay, who has contributed greatly to the life and work of Richmond Heights, particularly through volunteer work for the City in being a youth baseball umpire and assisting in the building of Little League fields. He also had the official responsibility of being a poll worker at the Trebisky Road location for several decades;

Charles built his own home on Douglas Boulevard and, along with his wife Mary, raised four children (Tom, Steve, Donald and Mary Jane). Charles and Mary were expert gardeners of vegetables and flowers and shared the bounty with friends of Richmond Heights from the greenhouse located in their yard, thereby building strong relationships within their community. In early 1960, he rescued a beloved neighborhood dog who had fallen through the ice by wading chest deep in frigid waters on Douglas Boulevard;

Charles served in World War II in England with the 862nd Engineer Battalion (airfield construction) and landed in France shortly after D Day with the Army Inspector General. He used the GI Education Bill at Fenn College (now Cleveland State University) to earn his Bachelor of Engineering degree and subsequently worked as a mechanical engineer at various fabrication shops in Cleveland until his retirement in 1983;

Charles Liskay faithfully assisted the Helping Hands Ministry at St. Paschal Baylon Church for many years;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by the Council of the City of Richmond Heights, Ohio, that:

On behalf of the City of Richmond Heights and its citizens, Mayor David H. Roche and this Council congratulate and extend their most sincere wishes for the happiest of birthdays to Charles C. Liskay on the occasion of his 100th Birthday and wish him many more birthdays.

PASSED: October 23, 2018

David H. Roche
David H. Roche, Mayor

APPROVED: October 23, 2018

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