

**59-R-13**

**A RESOLUTION**

**Designating that Portion of Greenleaf Street  
Between Florence Avenue and Dewey Avenue with  
the Honorary Street Name Sign, "Sam McKinley, Jr. Way"**

**WHEREAS**, Sam McKinley, Jr. was raised in Evanston and educated in Evanston schools; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. McKinley is a pillar of the Evanston business community, owning and operating Best Taxi Service and McKinley Enterprises; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. McKinley has served on the board of the Evanston Women's Shelter, provided food and housing to needy families and sports equipment to local associations, employed formerly-incarcerated residents, and helped implement a discount program for seniors and developmentally challenged adults; and

**WHEREAS**, several community organizations, such as the NAACP, have recognized Mr. McKinley for his service to the Evanston community; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. McKinley's business, Best Taxi Service, is located at 1527 Greenleaf Street,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EVANSTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, THAT:**

**SECTION 1:** The foregoing recitals are hereby found as fact and incorporated herein by reference.

**SECTION 2:** On behalf of the entire citizenry of the City of Evanston, the City Council hereby expresses appreciation for Sam McKinley, Jr. by designating that portion of Greenleaf Street between Florence Avenue and Dewey Avenue "Sam McKinley, Jr. Way."

**SECTION 3:** This Resolution 59-R-13 shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval in the manner provided by law.

  
Elizabeth B. Tisdahl, Mayor

Attest:

  
Rodney Greene, City Clerk

Adopted: October 28, 2013