

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Miranda warning is a police notification given to criminal suspects being held in police custody; and,

WHEREAS, The United States Supreme Court mandated the language of the Miranda warning in 1966 as a result of *Miranda v. Arizona*; and,

WHEREAS, The warning explicitly advises those under arrest or detention of their right to silence, their right to refuse answering questions, and their right to legal representation; and,

WHEREAS, This landmark United States Supreme Court decision was the result of a 1963 arrest made by then-Detective Carroll Cooley of alleged kidnapper and rapist Ernesto Miranda; and,

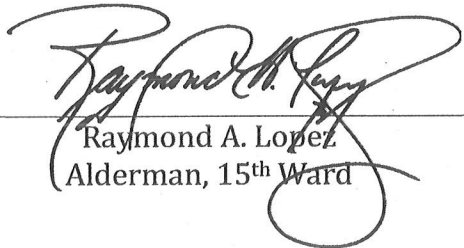
WHEREAS, There was, up to this point, no legal requirement in the United States for any disclaimer to be made of the rights of the accused at the time of their arrest or detainment; and,

WHEREAS, Carroll Cooley has been called home to God on May 29, 2023 as a result of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, joins his son Kenneth and is survived by his wife Glee Cooley, daughter Brenda Barcellos, stepson Mark Scheiter, stepdaughter Caron Reynolds, twelve grandchildren and eighteen great-grandchildren; and,

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City has been informed of his passing by the Honorable Raymond A. Lopez, Alderman of Chicago's 15th Ward; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO, That we, the Mayor and Members of the City Council hereby recognize the life and legacy of Captain Carroll Cooley, and his impact on law enforcement across these United States of America; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the Cooley family.


Raymond A. Lopez
Alderman, 15th Ward