

RESOLUTION NO. 115

WHEREAS, the citizens of the City of Alexandria were saddened by the passing of Deacon Robert Williams on Tuesday, June 6, 1972; and

WHEREAS, Deacon Robert Williams was well-known throughout the community for his outstanding humanitarian activities spanning more than thirty years; and

WHEREAS, through his service to the community, Deacon Robert Williams became known throughout the City as one to whom many could turn in time of need; and

WHEREAS, Deacon Robert Williams was honored by the City for his work on the Citizens Advisory Committee for Community Improvement and was especially recognized in The Congressional Record for assisting in having January 1st named Emancipation Proclamation Day; and

WHEREAS, his further concern for the needs of the City and her people were well represented through his service on the Citizens Committee for Minority Housing, the Citizens Committee for the Workable Program and the Economic Opportunities Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, that the City Council express its sincere sympathy to the wife of Deacon Robert Williams, and that a copy of this Resolution be spread upon the minutes of this City Council meeting and, further that a copy of this Resolution of Sympathy be forwarded to Deacon Robert Williams' wife.

BY AND ON BEHALF OF THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

CHARLES E. BEATLEY, JR. MAYOR

Adopted June 13, 1972

ATTEST:

Helen Vickers Clerk