

A CEREMONIAL RESOLUTION

22-401

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

October 2, 2018

To honor and congratulate Ed and Gerri Solomon as they celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary and to declare October 20, 2018, as “Ed and Gerri Solomon Day” in the District of Columbia .

WHEREAS, Ed and Gerri were born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania;

WHEREAS, Ed and Gerri were married in Bloomington, Indiana in 1968;

WHEREAS, Ed received his Master’s Degree from Indiana University in 1968;

WHEREAS, Ed was drafted into the U.S. Army in 1968;

WHEREAS, Ed and Gerri moved to Washington, D.C. in the mid-70s and started their business, Wedding Creations and Anthony’s Tuxedos, in 1979;

WHEREAS, Ed and Gerri had a daughter, Hope, who received her undergraduate and Master’s Degree from Georgetown University and completing her second Master’s Degree from Harvard University;

WHEREAS, Gerri received a PhD from American University;

WHEREAS, Ed served as Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2E Chair for 2 terms and commissioner for 5 terms:

WHEREAS, Ed and Gerri contribute and participate in numerous community civic activities; and

WHEREAS, Ed and Gerri make dreams come true by donating prom dresses to Washington, D.C. high schools.

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RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Ed and Gerri Solomon 50th Anniversary Recognition Resolution of 2018”.

Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia recognizes and honors Ed and Gerri for their 50 years of marriage and declares October 20, 2018, as “Ed and Gerri Solomon Day” in the District of Columbia.

Sec. 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon the first date of publication in the District of Columbia Register.