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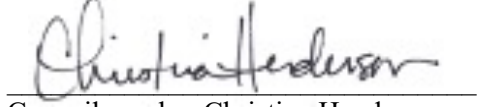
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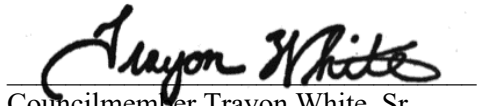

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32 A CEREMONIAL RESOLUTION

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37 IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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41 To recognize and celebrate Gottlieb Simon for his commitment to improving the Advisory
42 Neighborhood Commissions in the District of Columbia, and for his four decades of
43 exemplary service, leadership, and advocacy on behalf of the District's Advisory
44 Neighborhood Commissions.

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46 WHEREAS, Gottlieb Simon served as Administrative Secretary for both Advisory
47 Commission 6D and 6B;

48 WHEREAS, Both Commissions thrived during his tenure as secretary;

49 WHEREAS, Gottlieb Simon worked with the DC Council to create the Office of
50 Advisory Neighborhood Commissions (“OANC”);

51 WHEREAS, Gottlieb Simon was appointed Executive Director of OANC and served as
52 OANC’s first and only direction until his retirement in 2021;

53 WHEREAS, the OANC successfully worked to regulate and professionalize the
54 operations, elections, and finances of the District’s Advisory Neighborhood Commissions;

55 WHEREAS, Gottlieb Simon served as an advisor and mentor to scores of individual
56 commissioners and commission officers;

57 WHEREAS, Gottlieb Simon pioneered training and professional education for
58 commissioners;

59 WHEREAS, Gottlieb Simon created the manuals and guidelines that govern ANC
60 operations;

61 WHEREAS, Gottlieb Simon was a constant citywide presence at ANC public and
62 executive meetings;

63 WHEREAS, Gottlieb Simon served as the very model of public service and integrity;

64 WHEREAS, Gottlieb Simon served as a resource and parliamentarian for the
65 commissions;

66 WHEREAS, Gottlieb Simon functioned as the District’s institution memory for its
67 ANCs; and

68 WHEREAS, Gottlieb Simon quietly, graciously, and firmly guided many new ANC
69 Commissioners as they navigated their new responsibilities while learning how to work with our
70 government as ANC commissioners.

71 RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this
72 resolution may be cited as the “Gottlieb Simon Recognition Resolution of 2021”.

73 Sec. 2. The Council recognizes and celebrates Gottlieb Simon for his four decades of
74 exemplary service, leadership, and advocacy on behalf of the District’s Advisory Neighborhood
75 Commissions.

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