

CITY COUNCIL OF MOUNT VERNON



RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, BROTHER CURTIS R. NELSON JR. is a proud son of charter member and Past Patron Curtis Nelson Sr. of Adah Chapter #82, and has followed in his father's legacy of service, leadership, and dedication to family, community, and the Masonic Order; and

WHEREAS, Brother Nelson, a lifelong resident of Mount Vernon since 1974 and graduate of Mount Vernon High School Class of 1994, has committed himself to personal and professional excellence, earning multiple certifications and serving with distinction at Sarah Lawrence College as Sergeant; and

WHEREAS, he has been a devoted member of St. Joseph Lodge #117 since 2001, receiving the Father of the Year Award in 2002, and continues to serve with honor as the Worshipful Master; and

WHEREAS, Brother Nelson became a dedicated member of Adah Chapter #82 in 2018, serving faithfully as Associate Patron, later as Worthy Patron from 2020 to 2023, and further extending his service as District Deputy Grand Patron under PGWP Paul James and GWP Grant Valentine; and

WHEREAS, he has consistently demonstrated his commitment to uplifting youth through coaching, mentoring, and leading championship youth sports teams, embodying the spirit of service and leadership beyond the walls of the Lodge and Chapter; and NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the City Council honors BROTHER CURTIS R. NELSON JR. for his presentation of APRON by the ADAH CHAPTER #82, ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR, for his steadfast service, faithful leadership, and unwavering devotion to family, community, and the Masonic order.

Councilperson

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City Council President

Authenticated this **28th** day of **SEPTEMBER, 2025**

City Clerk