

RESOLUTION NO. 2013-72

EXPRESSING THE GREAT SORROW OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND THE ENTIRE GREATER CLEVELAND REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY FAMILY AT THE PASSING OF OUR BELOVED FRIEND AND CO-WORKER, PASTOR LEON STALLWORTH, AND EXTENDING CONDOLENCES TO HIS FAMILY

WHEREAS, Leon Stallworth was a respected and valued employee of the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority since July 18, 1982; and

WHEREAS, Leon Stallworth provided an invaluable dedicated service in his position as Business Development Specialist to the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority (GCRTA), and he worked tirelessly to educate the community about the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program at the GCRTA; and

WHEREAS, Leon Stallworth was the faithful and committed pastor of Friendship Baptist Church at 5600 Central Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio since 1998; and

WHEREAS, Pastor Leon Stallworth was a community leader, an advocate for the disadvantaged, a dear friend, counselor, encourager and supporter to all fortunate enough to have known him, and earned sincere respect and admiration of people from all walks of life; and

WHEREAS, Pastor Leon Stallworth was a devoted husband and friend to his loving wife, Denise Stallworth, a loving son (both parents preceded him in death), father and brother; and

WHEREAS, Pastor Leon Stallworth was called home by his Lord and Savior on July 31, 2013, from labor to reward; and

WHEREAS, the passing of Pastor Leon Stallworth has caused a deep void at the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority and the community, and he will be greatly missed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority, Cuyahoga County, Ohio:

Section 1. That the memory of Pastor Leon Stallworth is cherished and honored and the Board of Trustees publicly expresses their sorrow upon his passing.

Section 2. That the Board of Trustees and the entire Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority family extend to the family of Pastor Leon Stallworth their most sincere condolences and sympathy upon their loss.

Section 3. That this resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Adopted: August 20, 2013

  
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President

Attest:   
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CEO, General Manager/Secretary -Treasurer