1 ..Title Public Safety Employee Funeral Representation - For the purpose of establishing a policy that 2 upon the death of a retired or active duty public safety employee, a public safety representative 3 4 shall attend the funeral of the employee with the consent of the legal authorized representative of the deceased employee's family. 5 ..Body 6 CITY COUNCIL OF THE 7 City of Annapolis 8 9 10 **Resolution 9-16** 11 **Introduced by: Alderman Kirby** 12 13 14 Referred to **Public Safety Committee** 15 **Rules and City Government** 16 17 18 A RESOLUTION concerning 19 20 21 **Public Safety Employee Funeral Representation** 22 23 **FOR** the purpose of establishing a policy that upon the death of a retired or active duty public safety employee, a public safety representative shall attend the funeral of the employee 24 with the consent of the legal authorized representative of the deceased employee's 25 family. 26 27 28 WHEREAS, the Caucus of African American Leaders (CAAL) and the City of Annapolis have 29 been engaged in creating initiatives to enhance relationships between its public safety employees and that of their families; and 30 31 32 WHEREAS, the CAAL has requested that the City of Annapolis establish a policy of sending a public safety representative to a retired or active duty public safety employee's 33 funeral with the consent of the legal authorized representative of the deceased 34 35 employee's family; and 36 37 WHEREAS, the City of Annapolis recognizes that public safety employees continuously place 38 themselves at risk for the benefit of residents of and visitors to the City of Annapolis; 39 and 40 41 WHEREAS, the Mayor and Alderpersons of the City of Annapolis wish to recognize the courage and dedication of retired and active duty public safety employees, by 42 establishing a policy that upon the death of a retired or active duty public safety 43 employee, a public safety representative shall attend the funeral of the employee with 44 the consent of the legal authorized representative of the deceased employee's family. 45 NOW THEREFORE, 46

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ANNAPOLIS CITY COUNCIL that there is established a policy of the City of Annapolis upon the death of a retired or active duty public safety employee, a public safety representative shall attend the funeral of the employee with the consent of the legal authorized representative of the deceased employee's family.

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AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE ANNAPOLIS CITY COUNCIL that this resolution shall take effect from the date of its passage.

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EXPLANATION

CAPITAL LETTERS indicate matter added to existing law. Strikethrough indicates matter stricken from existing law. Underlining indicates amendments.