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TESTIMONIAL RESOLUTION FOR *Prophetess Dr. Joyce Ruth Haddon*
Happy 70th Birthday High Praise Cathedral of Faith Ministries
SUBMITTED BY COUNCILMAN GABE LELAND

WHEREAS Prophetess Joyce Ruth Haddon, Co-Pastor of High Praise Cathedral of Faith in Detroit, Michigan and International Supervisor for Pentecostal Outpour International Fellowship of Churches, is a native of Fort Bragg, North Carolina born in a military family. Prophetess Haddon holds an Honorary Doctorate from Tuskegee University. Her story started 44 years ago when God anointed her with many special gifts for ministry. She is an author, teacher, motivator, psalmist, and radio personality; **and**

WHEREAS Prophetess Joyce Ruth Haddon, throughout her life, has traveled as a national evangelist to minister in Africa, Trinidad, Hong Kong, and the Philippines as well as the continental United States. She has ministered for the Apostolic World Christian Fellowship (AWCF) which is a prominent Pentecostal organization. She did one-on-one mentoring with students while she was in the Philippines; **and**

WHEREAS Western Harvest is an annual outreach, fellowship in her local community she does in the late autumn in Detroit, Michigan at High Praise Corral for city children who are at risk, homeless, and troubled teens ages 13-19; **and**

WHEREAS Prophetess Haddon is the author of "Chain Breaker," "New Season, New Battle," and "Priceless Women." She was previously the Executive Editor for a magazine called, "Something To Talk About." She has inspired hip-hop artists such as Eminem and Ludacris, R&B artists such as the Braxtons, Mary Mary, Isaac Carree, and actors from the movie "The Fast and The Furious" back in 2001; **and**

WHEREAS Prophetess Haddon's desire is for people to love under the provisional authority of God while leading, cultivating, and fulfilling their lives and dreams. Her statement as evidence for victory through broken situations is: "From The Pit To The Palace." Not too long ago she started a radio program on African Radio Network called, "Reach Above Your Cut Place," that reaches Trinidad, England, and Australia. Outside of living by purpose and doing kingdom work, Prophetess Haddon has been happily married to Presiding Bishop Clarence B. Haddon, Sr. since 1976. She is a loving mother and grandmother of 5 children and many grandchildren. **NOW, THEREFORE LET IT BE**

RESOLVED That the Office of Councilman Gabe Leland and Members of Detroit City Council hereby extend its heartfelt wishes in celebrating Prophetess Joyce Ruth Haddon on her 70th Birthday as she is honored by family, friends and those who love and admire her.

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