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Council of the City of Philadelphia Office of the Chief Clerk Room 402, City Hall Philadelphia

(Resolution No. 020082)

RESOLUTION

Honoring Vikki Leach.

The Council of the City of Philadelphia is pleased to join in tribute to Ms. Vikki Leach on the Tenth Anniversary of her Bridal Extravaganza.

WHEREAS, Ms. Leach held the first Bridal Extravaganza in this City in February, 1992, and since that time, the event has grown in size, programmatic offerings, vendors, participation and enthusiasm; and

WHEREAS, The initial impulse of the Bridal Extravaganza was to show brides and grooms of color, culture and taste who rarely saw themselves on the runway. It also offered visibility to underexposed professionals who might otherwise not have the opportunity to display their wedding-related skills and services. It should also be noted that in 1993, Elite Unlimited Modeling and Training Facility, which teaches young people manners, style, grace, responsibility and dedication, was chosen to train the models for the runway; and

WHEREAS, Today, the audience for this Extravaganza has grown to nearly one thousand guests, many of whom make final bridal arrangements right at the event; and

WHEREAS, We recognize that although Ms. Leach lists her occupation as "Professional Wedding Coordinator and Events Planner," that hardly begins to define her many skills or her important role in the community. For all of this, we thank her on her tenth anniversary of fulfillment and success; now, therefore

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, That we hereby honor and commend Ms. Vikki Leach on the occasion of her "Bridal Extravaganza's" Tenth Anniversary.

FURTHER RESOLVED, That an Engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Ms. Vikki Leach as evidence of the sincere admiration, high esteem and hearty congratulations of this legislative body.

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CERTIFICATION: This is a true and correct copy of the original Resolution, Adopted by the Council of the City of Philadelphia on the fourteenth of February, 2002.

Anna C. Verna PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL

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Introduced by: Councilmember Tasco

Sponsored by: Councilmembers Kenney, DiCicco, Ortiz, Nutter, Miller, Goode,

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