

**City of Boston**  
IN

**CITY COUNCIL**

**Official Resolution**

presented by

**Council President Ed Flynn &  
Councilor At-Large Michael Flaherty**

**Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council  
Extends its Congratulations and Recognition to**

**Michael J. Donovan**

**In recognition of:**

Your 47 years of steadfast leadership and exceptional public service as the Clerk of the Superior Court (Civil Division) of Suffolk County, where you were the youngest person to be elected to the role in 1976. As the longest-serving elected official in Boston's history, we honor your distinguished service and commitment to the residents of Boston and Suffolk County. We recognize that you are a proud son of South Boston and Dorchester, a graduate of Suffolk University and Suffolk Law School, and an esteemed lawyer. We commend your tireless dedication to giving back to the South Boston community, especially as a Gate of Heaven CYO youth basketball coach. Your devotion to bettering our communities has left an indelible impact on your neighbors in South Boston and the entire city.

**Congratulations on receiving the John W. McCormack Award for Public Service!**

**and Be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.**

By: Edward M. Flynn  
President of the City Council

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the City of Boston

Offered by: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_