

City of Saint Paul Proclamation: Celebrating Sister Audrey

Whereas in n 1998, as part of a long-range effort to revitalize the East Side of Saint Paul, the East Side Neighborhood Development Company approached the School Sisters of Notre Dame about helping to address unmet educational needs

Whereas In 2001 the School Sisters responded by establishing the East Side Learning Center, to provide free one-on-one reading tutoring for children unable to get help elsewhere

Whereas Sister Audrey Lindenfelser is the founding Executive Director of East Side Learning Center, guiding the organization for the first 16 years of its existence

Whereas ESLC began with Sister Adurey and 25 volunteers tutoring 19 children

Whereas since 2001 through Sister Audrey's leadership, ELSC has tutored 2,411 children inspiring 2,831 professional and volunteer tutors to give 150,871 hours of tutoring

Whereas Sister Audrey's gentle, nurturing spirit encourages children to succeed

Whereas Sister Audrey always insists that our sole focus is the children...

Whereas Sister Audrey's passion for and love of children shines through in all she does

Whereas Sister Audrey inspires those around her

Now, Therefore, I, Christopher B. Coleman, Mayor of the City of Saint Paul, do hereby proclaim May 24, 2017 to be:

Sister Audrey Lindenfelser Day

in the City of Saint Paul.