

MOTION

Dr. E. Wayne Gaddis, Sr., is the Senior Pastor of Greater True Light M.B.C. in Los Angeles, the Only African-American Church on the University of Southern California campus.

As the President of the California Missionary Baptist State Convention, Dr. Gaddis has a prolific vision and is committed to preparing a new generation of leaders for the California Missionary Baptist State Convention. Dr. Gaddis has a "Huddle Leadership Approach" and his "Six Pillars" concept for the CMBSC has been embraced by its members.

Dr. Gaddis has held various positions with various religious organizations, including former Vice President of the Baptist Ministers' Conference of Los Angeles & Southern California, Co-Chairman of the Educational Board and Co-Chairman for the Site Committee for the National Missionary Baptist Convention of America, and Treasurer of the California Missionary Baptist State Convention. He currently serves as First Vice Moderator of the Pacific District Missionary Baptist Association and humbly serves on several committees and boards that make an impact in the City of Los Angeles, California and the lives of countless others.


Dr. Gaddis has served more than thirty years as a pastor, with leadership that is positive, productive and progressive. Beyond his many pastoral accomplishments and academic credentials, he genuinely loves, people and is a "tender shepherd" who takes his calling seriously to serve all people.

Dr. Gaddis has served at the Greater True Light church for the past ten years, showing his concern about each and every member, especially with the seniors and youth.

In recognition of Dr. E. Wayne Gaddis, Sr.'s many years of service, vision and dedication to the people of Los Angeles it is appropriate that the City designate the intersection of West 29<sup>th</sup> Street and Orchard Avenue as "Dr. E. Wayne Gaddis, Sr. Square"

I THEREFORE MOVE that the intersection of West 29<sup>th</sup> Street and Orchard Avenue be named as "Dr. E. Wayne Gaddis, Sr. Square" and that the Department of Transportation be directed to fabricate and install permanent ceremonial signs to this effect at this location, in consultation with Council District 9.

PRESENTED BY:



CURREN D. PRICE  
Councilmember, 9<sup>th</sup> District

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