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To honor and celebrate Dr. Keith A. Troy and his wife Sister Brenda P. Troy on thirty-five years of service to the New Salem Missionary Baptist Church and the Columbus Community.

WHEREAS, this month, Dr. Keith A. Troy and his wife, Sister Brenda P. Troy will celebrate thirty-five years of committed service to the New Salem Missionary Baptist Church family; and

WHEREAS, the Troy legacy of leadership and service is a walking testimony, whose reach and mission extends beyond the walls of New Salem Missionary Baptist Church, but around the globe - constantly touching, changing, and inspiring people, with their humble example of excellence about the power of serving and the miracles that can be achieved by living a life of faith; and

WHEREAS, with Pastor Troy and Sister Troy's leadership New Salem has established a reputation of community service and elevated the Linden Community with the numerous services that it provides - services that include but are not limited to a working food pantry, providing an arm of protection to victims of human trafficking, strengthening employment training, providing educational opportunities, creating a community market that distributes healthy, affordable, and local food options, and much more; and

WHEREAS, under Pastor Troy's servant leadership, the congregation has grown steadily over the years from a humble 100 to over 5,000 members who diligently work throughout the Greater Columbus Marketplace, leaving a foot print of excellence and bridging many of the gaps that are needed by our communities most vulnerable residents - the Troy's unyielding passion for training and leadership serves as a foundation for which New Salem's internal church growth model continues to yield a ministry that is relevant for tomorrow's generation of global minded citizens, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS:

That this Council does hereby honor, recognize, and celebrate Dr. Keith A. Troy and Sister Brenda Patterson Troy for thirty-five years of Pastoral service to the New Salem Missionary Baptist Church and thank the Troy family for their service to the residents of Greater Columbus.