

Alderman Spangenberg

Item #06-2838 (for council meeting of 04-02-08)

Whereas, it is appropriate that the United States of American Flag be accorded proper respect and dignity; and

Whereas, it is the custom within the United States of America that its Flag be flown at half-staff to commemorate the death of certain persons of significant national, state, or local standing and for special periods of mourning; and

Whereas, it is proper that standards be in place for flying the flag at half-staff.

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that all United States of America Flags flown over City of Racine buildings and property shall be flown at half-staff on occasions in accordance with Federal law, upon executive order of the President of the United States; upon executive order of the Governor of the State of Wisconsin; and on the day of burial in the event of the death of a Racine police officer or firefighter killed in the line of duty.

Fiscal Note: N/A