

RESOLUTION NO. 20170406-027

WHEREAS, Richard Overton, as a 110 year old American supercentenarian, is the oldest verified living United States veteran;

WHEREAS, Mr. Overton has proven himself to be an exemplary ambassador for all those that have served in uniform, praised by politicians of both major parties;

WHEREAS, Mr. Overton has been honored by the Governor of Texas;

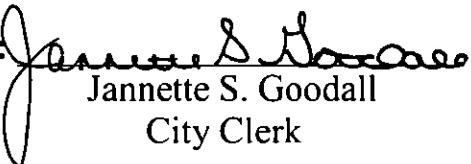
WHEREAS, Mr. Overton has been honored by the President and Vice President of the United States;

WHEREAS, Richard Overton resides in East Austin, Texas, in the home he built himself in 1945; **NOW, THEREFORE**,

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

In the celebration of life and service, on his 111th birthday on May 11, 2017, that his street of residence, Hamilton Avenue, be given an honorary name of Richard Overton Avenue.

ADOPTED: April 6, 2017

ATTEST: 
Jannette S. Goodall
City Clerk