

Resolution for Outstanding Community Service in 2005, and the Best Morning Drive Talk Show award in 2007; and

WHEREAS, What's the 411? with Sharon Kay has gained a strong grassroots community connection by speaking truth to power and addressing emerging issues while bringing resources and knowledge to the community; and

WHEREAS, over the past 20 years, every Metro Nashville Mayor, Police Chief, Fire Department Chief, School Board Director, and a host of Councilmembers and elected officials from across the city have been guests on What's the 411? with Sharon Kay to help keep the community informed; and

WHEREAS, throughout the show's history, nationally recognized luminaries and historic figures have been interviewed to discuss pressing issues of concern for the African American community including the late Congressman John Lewis, Congresswoman Maxine Waters, Congressman Jim Clyburn, former Congressman Charles Rangel, Senator Cory Booker, Rev. Joseph Lowery, former U.S. Ambassador Andrew Young, Myrlie Evers-Williams, Rev. Jesse Jackson, Dr. Dorothy Height, Mary Frances Berry, Dick Gregory, Nikki Giovanni, Marian Wright Edelman, Hazel O'Leary, Dr. Cornel West, Bishop T.D. Jakes, Bishop Vashti Murphy McKenzie, Iyanla Vanzant, and Smokey Robinson; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Kay is nationally respected as an enduring broadcaster and has spent the last 43 years in the multi-media industry, with nearly half of her career as producer and host of What's the 411?; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper that the Metropolitan Council celebrates the 20th anniversary of What's the 411? with Sharon Kay and wishes her many more years of continued success.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY:

Section 1. The Metropolitan Council hereby goes on record as recognizing the 20th anniversary of What's the 411? with Sharon Kay.

Section 2. This Resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption, the welfare of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County requiring it.