## EXHIBIT 9

## **Cleveland Public Library**

## New Business October 21, 2010

## **RESOLUTION SALUTING THE LIFE OF ROBERT ALLEN**

- Whereas, Robert Allen was born in Cleveland, Ohio in October 1967 and attended and was graduated from Shaw High School in East Cleveland, Ohio in June, 1988, and
- Whereas, Mr. Allen was a hard worker and held positions at several other local employers prior to coming on board at Cleveland Public Library as the branch Custodian at E. 131 Branch in February, 2000. He worked at the E. 131/Mt. Pleasant dyad until his untimely death, and
- Whereas, Robert was known to be very attentive to his family. He cherished, loved and spoiled his sons, Robert and Devyn and he himself was a loving son to his parents Barbra and John, and
- Whereas, The death of Robert Allen on September 6, 2010 has saddened the CPL family. We offer our deepest sympathy to his family. His contributions will definitely be missed; now therefore be it
- Resolved, That this resolution be added to the minutes of this meeting of the Cleveland Public Library Board of Trustees and this resolution be forwarded to his family with our sincerest condolences.