

With heavy heart, Kevin H. McBurnett

Dear Emerson Community,

On Saturday our community suffered a tremendous loss with the passing of Mayor AI Pallone and his beloved wife, Millie. Al and Millie have been a staple of the Emerson community for over 40 years.

Al and I began working together in 2008 at city hall. Al was a proven leader serving the citizens of Emerson as a city councilman for 23 years with the last 15 years as Mayor. Millie was always near providing him support, the framework to his strong leadership.

I would like to extend my condolences to the family and friends of AI and Millie. In addition to working together, AI and I had become good friends and I will miss him. To his family, thank you for sharing him with us. The City of Emerson is a better place because of him.