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Type: Resolution

Title: Chicago Board of Education, Community College District

No. 508, Chicago Park District, Chicago Transit Authority, and Chicago Housing Authority urged to adopt diversity in

non-minority owned firms disclosure requirements

Committee(s) Assignment: Committee on Finance

FINANCE

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, this City Council now has under consideration an ordinance entitled the Diversity in Non-Minority-Owned Firms Disclosure Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of that ordinance is to document whether non-minority-owned and controlled professional service firms involved in discretionary city transactions are availing themselves of the talents of members of minority groups and fostering their professional development; and

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of this City Council that all governmental bodies serving the people of the City of Chicago should adopt similar policies; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED that we, the Mayor and members of the City Council of the City of Chicago, assembled this 24 day of _______, 2014 do hereby encourage the respective governing bodies of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, Community College District No. 508, the Chicago Park District, the Chicago transit Authority and the Chicago Housing Authority to adopt, in the appropriate form, and to enforce procedures and reporting requirements equal to those contained in the Diversity in Non-Minority-Owned Firms Disclosure Ordinance; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that suitable copies of this Resolution be presented to the secretaries or clerks of the above named governmental agencies.

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