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<b>Title:</b>	Congratulations extended to Ira Coleman on being named recipient of 2013-2014 Professional Service Provider of the Year by Lincoln Park Chamber of Commerce
<b>Committee(s) Assignment:</b>	

**CONGRATULATING IRA COLEMAN'S WORK WITH TRANSNATIONAL BANKCARD ON  
BEING AWARDED PROFESSIONAL SERVICE PROVIDER OF THE YEAR**

**WHEREAS,** The Lincoln Park Chamber of Commerce presents Annual Awards to recognize businesses that exemplify a strong business model and a commitment to supporting a vibrant Lincoln Park Community; and

**WHEREAS,** The Professional Service Provider of the Year award nominees can come from a wide-range of industries that provide a service supporting the well-being of individuals, families or businesses in the community; and

**WHEREAS,** Any business that contributes to the needs of others is an important part of the neighborhood and Lincoln Park is home to some of the best professionals in their respective fields; and

**WHEREAS,** The 2013-2014 Professional Service Provider of the Year recipient is Ira Coleman for his work with TransNational Bankcard and the community; and

**WHEREAS,** Ira is a regular attendee at Lincoln Park Chamber of Commerce events. He also sits on the Ambassador Committee and is a member of the Board of Directors; and

**WHEREAS,** Throughout this past harsh winter, Ira Coleman spearheaded the collection of 1,000 coats for those less fortunate in the City, leveraging his strong network of connections for promotion and other logistical support of the drive; and

**WHEREAS,** Ira's selfless commitment to the Lincoln Park Community should serve as an inspiration to us all; and

**WHEREAS,** The Honorable Michele Smith, Alderman of the 43<sup>rd</sup> Ward, has apprised this august body of the significant honor bestowed upon Ira Coleman; now therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED,** That we, the Mayor and members of the Chicago City Council, gathered here this twenty eighth day of May, 2014, do hereby congratulate Ira Coleman for being awarded Professional Service Provider of the Year and extend our very best wishes for his continued success.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and presented to Ira Coleman.



Michele Smith  
Alderman, 43<sup>rd</sup> Ward

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