



# City of Chicago



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<b>Committee(s) Assignment:</b>	

## **RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS**, Shriners Hospitals for Children – Chicago is one of 22 Shriners facilities across North America caring for children with special medical needs since 1926, and

**WHEREAS**, Shriners Hospital Chicago provides specialty pediatric care in orthopedics, cleft lip/palate, rehabilitation, and spinal cord injury, and

**WHEREAS**, Shriners Hospital Chicago cares for approximately 15,000 patients annually from six Midwestern States, from across the nation, and from throughout the world, and

**WHEREAS**, 14 Shrine Centers in Midwestern urban communities provide leadership and resources for the operation of the hospital, and

**WHEREAS**, Shriners from the 14 Shrine centers and from across the country provide transportation, when needed, for patients and families to and from the hospital, and

**WHEREAS**, Shriners Hospitals Chicago is empowered by the generosity of individual donors, corporations, and foundations, and

**WHEREAS**, Shriners Hospital Chicago has established a community of the finest medical specialists, care-giving nurses, gifted therapists, and a supporting staff of committed individuals, all of whom provide world-class care for children, and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Chicago is justifiably concerned for the welfare of Chicago children, and children everywhere, as fulfilled by Shriners Hospital Chicago, and

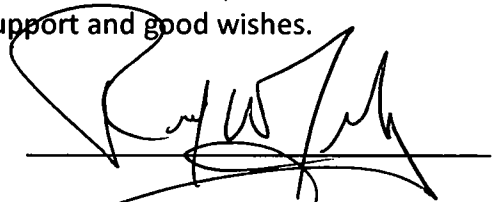
**WHEREAS**, the City Council has been advised of the 90<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Shriners Hospitals for Children – Chicago in 2016, and

**WHEREAS**, The Honorable Robert W. Fioretti, Alderman of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Ward, has apprised this august body that Shriners Hospital Chicago will inaugurate its 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration at the Chicago Cultural Center on November 12, 2015; now, therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED** that we, the Mayor and members of the City Council of the City of Chicago, assembled this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April 2015 do hereby congratulate and thank Shriners Hospitals for Children - Chicago on its 90 years of service to our community; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that we wish Shriners Hospitals for Children - Chicago every success in its 90<sup>th</sup> anniversary of service to children, as this great pediatric medical center that has been integral to the well-being of more than 100,000 children throughout its long history continues to carry out its mission, and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that suitable copies of this Resolution be presented to Shriners Hospitals for Children – Chicago as a sign of our support and good wishes.



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Robert W. Fioretti  
Alderman, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ward