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

**RESOLUTION HONORING THE PEGGY AND STEVE FOSSETT FOUNDATION**  
**ON THE DEDICATION OF THE STEVE FOSSETT CENTER FOR SCOUTING**

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative body to honor those distinguished individuals and organizations whose work and civic endeavor serve to enhance the quality of life for Chicagoans; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concerns, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, the City Council of Chicago recognizes The Peggy and Steve Fossett Foundation for its generous support and commitment to serving Chicago's youth through its steadfast commitment to the Chicago Area Council of the Boy Scouts of America; and

WHEREAS, In keeping with the goal of providing value-based programs and teaching practical skills, the foundation's support of the Chicago Area Council is helping to prepare tens of thousands of youth for successful, active and happy lives; and

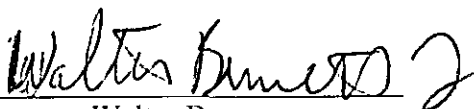
WHEREAS, The Peggy and Steve Fossett Foundation has made possible the dedication of the Steve Fossett Center for Scouting on Saturday, October 22, 2011, at 1218 West Adams Street, in Chicago's West Loop neighborhood. This dedication begins a new era for the Chicago Area Council as it continues to grow and do the good deeds for which it is recognized. At the same time, the Steve Fossett Center for Scouting provides Scouts and volunteers with a modern working environment in which to base their operations and house their dreams; and

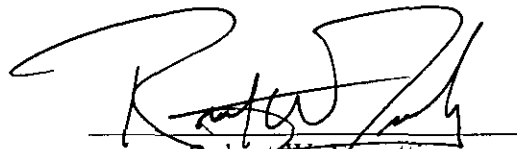
WHEREAS, As we learned in the story of the "Unknown Scout" who assisted American businessman William D. Boyce when he was lost in a London fog in 1909 and inspired Boyce to bring Scouting to the United States, one never knows the impact one good deed will have over time for one young person, one family, an entire city or for a nation; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Walter Burnett, Alderman of the 27<sup>th</sup> Ward, and the Honorable Robert W. Fioretti, Alderman of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Ward, have apprised this august body of the significant and noteworthy positive impact The Peggy and Steve Fossett Foundation and the Chicago Area Council are making on the lives of Chicago's youth; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and members of the City of Chicago City Council, assembled this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November 2011, do hereby salute The Peggy and Steve Fossett Foundation and offer our very best wishes in all future endeavors; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and presented to Mrs. Peggy Fossett.

  
Walter Burnett  
Alderman, 27<sup>th</sup> Ward

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