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11/2/2011 Burke, Edward M. (14) Resolution Congratulations extended to Joseph M. Gagliardo

## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Joseph M. Gagliardo has been named Labor & Employment Lawyer of the Year by Best Lawyers' 2012; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago City Council has been informed of this event by Alderman Edward M. Burke; and

WHEREAS, For more than thirty years, Joseph M. Gagliardo has maintained the highest professionalism and ethical standards while contributing significantly to Chicago's legal community; and

WHEREAS, Joseph M. Gagliardo earned his law degree from Chicago's John Marshall Law School; and

WHEREAS, Joseph M. Gagliardo serves as Litigation Chair and Managing Partner for the law firm of Laner, Muchin, Dombrow, Becker, Levin, and Tominberg, Ltd.; and

WHEREAS, A labor management specialist, John M. Gagliardo counsels employers on a wide range of employment issues and represents their interests in state and federal courts; and

WHEREAS, Prior to joining his current firm, Joseph M. Gagliardo served for ten years as First Deputy Corporation Counsel for the City of Chicago where he advised the city's forty departments on all aspects of municipal law, including labor and employment relations; and

WHEREAS, Joseph M. Gagliardo was previously named as one of the top onehundred attorneys in Illinois by Chicago Magazine and as one of America's Leading Lawyers in Business by the Chambers USA; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and the members of the Chicago City Council assembled this second day of November, 2011, do hereby congratulate Joseph M. Gagliardo on receiving this prestigious honor; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Joseph M. Gagliardo.

Alderman – 14<sup>th</sup> Ward