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SALUTE TO THE ITALIAN AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

WHEREAS, Founded in 1907, the Italian American Chamber of Commerce is a business association providing services to the Italian business community as well as to American businesses focused on the Italian market or products from Italy; and

WHEREAS, The Italian American Chamber of Commerce is comprised of a group of 13 Italian Chambers located in the major metropolitan areas in Canada, Mexico and the United States that service small and medium sized businesses who are seeking trading partners to establish joint ventures; and

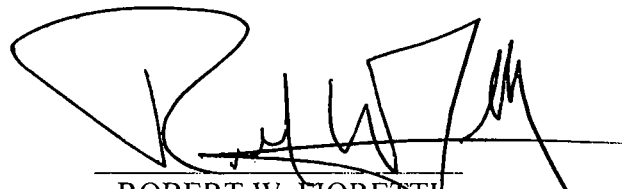
WHEREAS, On September 24, 2012 the Italian American Chamber of Commerce will celebrate its 105th Anniversary with a gala awards dinner honoring five outstanding leaders of the Italian and Italian-American community; and

WHEREAS, The president and CEO of the Lamborghini automotive company, Stephan Winkelmann, will be presented with the Global Leadership Award. William Terlato, president and CEO of Terlato Wines International will be cited as Businessman of the Year. Anthony Fornelli, President of AFJ Management will garner the Humanitarian Award and Anthony Riccardi, Sr. will be honored with a Lifetime Achievement Award; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Robert W. Fioretti, himself the recipient of a Public Service Award, has apprised this august body of the significant milestone and celebration of this iconic civic and business association; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED That we, the Mayor and members of the City of Chicago City Council, gathered together this 12th Day of September, 2012 AD, do hereby salute the Italian American Chamber of Commerce on the occasion of their 105th Anniversary Awards Dinner and express our lasting gratitude for the exceptional service they have given to the Italian American community in this metropolitan area.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and presented to the Italian American Chamber of Commerce.



ROBERT W. FIORETTI
Alderman - 2nd Ward