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Title:	Recognition extended to Jon Bruss for contributions to Advocate Trinity Hospital
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A RESOLUTION

To honor Jon Bruss, the Past President of Advocate Trinity Hospital and the work that Advocate Trinity Hospital has done for the community.

1 WHEREAS, Advocate Trinity Hospital, located at 2320 E. 93rd Street in the city of
2 Chicago, is a short-term acute-care facility that provides healthcare to local communities
3 in southeastern Chicago;

4 WHEREAS, Advocate Trinity Hospital was first opened in 1895 and now serves over
5 90,000 patients a year, while earning a HealthGrades recognition with five-star ratings for
6 pulmonary and stroke care;

7 WHEREAS, Jon Bruss has retired as the president of Advocate Trinity Hospital, where
8 he has served for the last 7 years although serving the hospital for an honorable thirty-
9 seven year career in leadership positions spanning from Admitting Manager to Vice
10 President to President;

11 WHEREAS, under Jon Bruss's leadership, Trinity has seen dramatic operational
12 improvements as evidenced by double digit increases in health outcomes, associate
13 satisfaction, physician satisfaction, patient satisfaction, and philanthropy;

14 WHEREAS, Jon spearheaded the improvement of Trinity's financial performance that
15 has resulted in a more than \$12 million dollar improvement compared to baseline;

16 WHEREAS, through his strategic requests, Advocate Health Care has invested more
17 than 80 million dollars to provide more advanced clinical services and facility upgrades
18 at Trinity; and

19 WHEREAS, Jon has been an inspirational model of Advocate's core values of
20 compassion, equality, excellence, partnership, and stewardship for all of Advocate
21 Trinity Hospital associates and three hundred medical staff members;

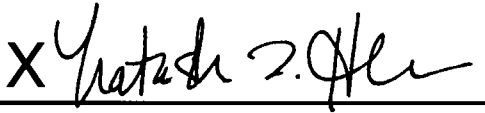
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22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the Mayor and Members of the City
23 Council of the City of Chicago, assembled this fifth day of March 2014, do hereby
24 applaud Mr. Jon Bruss for over 35 years of service to this outstanding hospital.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Natasha L. Holmes", written over a horizontal line.

Natashia L. Holmes
Alderman, 7th Ward

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