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Meeting Date: 3/24/2021

Sponsor(s): Sigcho-Lopez (25) Rodriguez (22)

Rodriguez Sanchez (33) Ramirez-Rosa (35)

Dowell (3) Moore (17)

Resolution Type:

Expression of support for Whole Foods worker's demands to Title:

reinstate hazard pay, health benefits to part-time employees,

and 15-minute breaks for employees

Committee on Workforce Development **Committee(s) Assignment:**

RESOLUTION - WHOLE FOODS Inc.

WHEREAS, Whole Foods workers are organizing in protest of how Whole Foods Inc., owned by Amazon, is handling the health and safety of their workers during the COVID-19 pandemic; and,

WHEREAS Despite the continued pandemic, Whole Foods Inc. has reduced protections for these essential workers who are on the front lines, denying hazard pay, denying health benefits to part time employees, and disallowing 15 min breaks; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED

That we, the undersigned members of the City of Chicago City Council hereby support Whole Foods Workers' demands that the company: Reinstate hazard pay, and pay it retroactively beginning from June 1, 2020; reinstate health benefits to part time employees; and reinstate 15 minute breaks for employees.

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Alderman, 25th Ward

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March 23, 2021

The following list of aldermen have requested their names to be included in the record as cosponsors on the proposed RESOLUTION ON WHOLE FOODS INC., OWNED BY AMAZON attached hereto regarding Whole Foods Inc., owned by Amazon, is handling the health and safety of their workers during the COVID-19 pandemic which is hereby submitted for introduction at the City Council meeting of 03/24/2021 and referral to the Committee on Workforce Development.

Michael Rodriguez	(22)
Rossana Rodriguez-Sanchez	(33)
Carlos Ramirez-Rosa	(35
Pat Dowell	(3)
David Moore	(17)
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Very truly yours,

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Byron Sigcho-Lopez, (Ward 25)